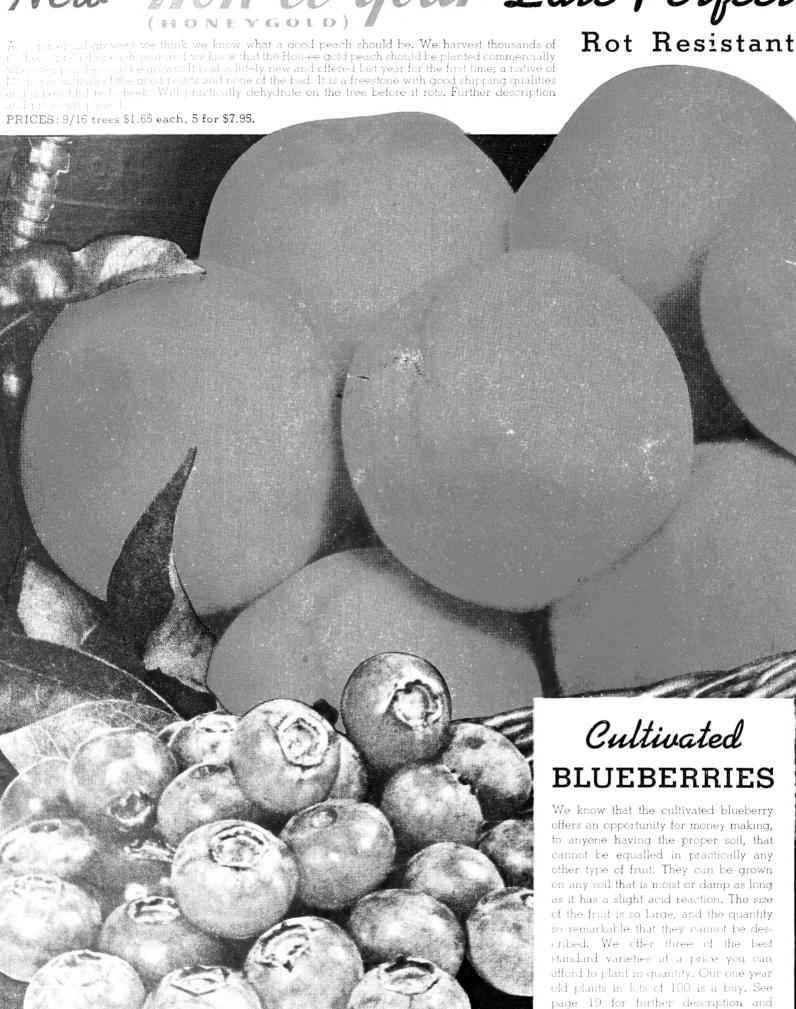
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# New Honey Gold Late Perfect



Only 37¢ each in lots of 100

price of plants in all sizes.

## Market and Garden Peach

Hardy, Freestone Peach, Excellent For Shipping

HON-EE-GOLD

This is the new peach which one of our customers named for us. A native of Michigan and a proven variety that has all of the good points and none of the bad.

#### Large Size

The Hon-ee-gold peach is a marvel in size, being slightly on the round type, 10% larger than Elberta, and ripens very late on the tree. Has a beautiful red cheek and packs up beautifully in the bushel.

#### **Shipping Qualities**

As to shipping qualities Hon-ee-gold is the best. In our tests this peach simply does not rot, but dehydrates and virtually dries up before rotting. Skin texture is heavy like Elberta, thus making an excellent peach for shipping.

#### Flavor

Hon-ee-gold has an excellent flavor, being golden yellow inside with a slight amount of red next to the pit. Somewhat on the dry side, which helps its shipping qualities.

#### **Hardy Trees**

The commercial grower should look into the hardiness of any variety he plants for long life. Hon-eegold is a very thrifty upright growing tree. Has never winterkilled or shown any winter injury whatsoever here. We want every peach grower to plant one tree this year. Hon-ee-gold has everything that a real peach needs. Freestone.

#### HON-EE-GOLD PRICES

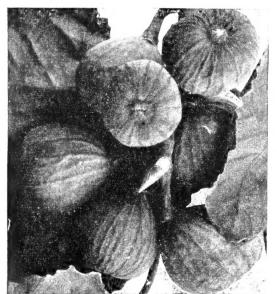
		5	10	25	100
	Each	Trees	Trees	Trees	Trees
7/16 Caliper, 2½-4 f	ft\$1.45	\$6.95	\$12.50	\$24.95	\$ 89.00
9/16 Caliper, 4-5 ft	1.65	7.95	14.95	35.00	110.00
11/16 Caliper, 5 ft. a	nd up., 1.95	9.25	17.50	42.50	

#### **BROWN TURKEY FIG**

Pear shaped fruit of medium size with good quality white shading to pink flesh. Copper brown skin. Prolific and of the dwarf type. Very hardy.

Price: 2-3 ft. trees, \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25.

Figs need to be planted on reasonably good soil. If the land gets too rich they make too fast a growth and forget to bear. If it gets cold and kills the plants, cut them back to the ground and let them come up again. If the soil is right, these young plants will begin to



Hardy Figs

put on figs by the time they are a foot high. As these trees do not grow to a very large size, they can be easily protected by covering with straw or any leafy material, provided cold weather hits them before they are ripe. Place a circle of chicken net around the tree and fill this entirely with straw which will give them complete protection.

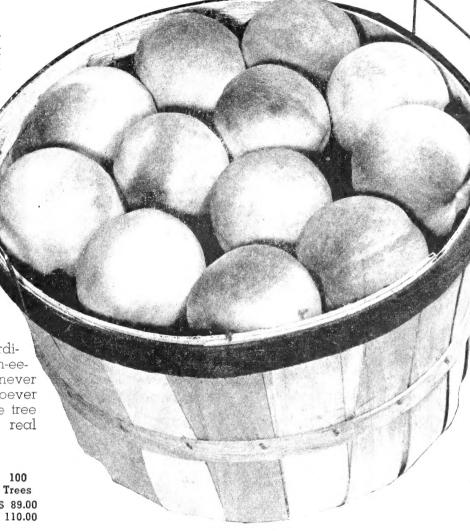
#### CELESTIAL FIG

Especially hardy fig that will grow where many varieties fail to grow.

Most popular variety in the fig raising areas. Medium size fruit of pear shape with violet skin and white flesh with rose shadings. Very sweet and juicy. Ripens early. Price: 2-3 ft. trees, \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25.

#### NECTARINE (Fuzzless Peach)

One of the most delicious of all fruits. Smooth skin like a plum. Has a rich flavor, juicy, and highly prized as a dessert fruit. Nectarines are as hardy as the peach and require the same culture. Fruit is a bright golden color with slightly red cheek. Tree is vigorous and bears young. Prices: Medium size trees, \$1.95 each; 3 for \$5.40.



Nectarine

# STAHELIN'S STAHELIN'S GROW THE FINEST TREES and PLANTS GROW THE FINEST TREES and PLANTS

When the Stahelin Nursery was organized it was the declared purpose of the founders to produce the finest and the best nursery stock possible. In this purpose it has never wavered. For thirty years Stahelin's have constantly improved and grown the best nursery stock that science could produce. Having done this so long and to such a high purpose it is not unusual that Stahelin's nursery stock has come to stand extremely high among the growers of the United States. The grower who plants Stahelin's nursery stock has definite assurance that he is enjoying the finest fruit available anywhere. From this high ideal we shall never change. Our location in a cold section makes our stock extremely hardy. Our sandy loam soil produces a root system unequalled anywhere in the country. Couple all of these facts together and you have a perfect combination. Climatic conditions, soil, and the fact that Stahelin's policy of producing only the best assures you F. C. Stahelin of the highest quality.



#### REFERENCES American Railway Express Agt. Bridgman, Michigan

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#### DON'T WAIT TO ORDER

Our customers were fine in placing their orders early last year, and we urge you again to do so. Stock is still scarce, many items can't be sold in quantity until next season. We'll do our best to fill orders in full but we know that some are going to be disappointed if they order real late.

Please remember that the shipping of strawberry, asparagus and that class of plants depends entirely on the weather. WE POSITIVELY DO NOT SHIP ANY STORAGE PLANTS. We'll fill your order as close to the time specified as we can, but if excessive rains or cold weather hits us at that time of the year we may be delayed in getting out orders.

#### **IMPORTANT**

All stock listed in this catalog is for the customer to pay the transportation charges, as the weight of nursery stock cannot be determined exactly in advance of shipment.

#### NOTICE

For approximate shipping charges, refer to the back of our order sheet enclosed with this catalog. Complete schedules and rates, as closely as it can be figured, will be found there.

#### Certificate of Nursery Inspection

Michigan State Department of Agriculture—Orchard and Nursery Inspection No. 1023.

This is to certify that the nursery stock of Stahelin's Nursery, Bridgman, Michigan, has been examined and found to be apparently free from dangerous insects and dangerously contagious tree and plant diseases. Fee paid \$41.60.

Chas. Figy, Commissioner, Lansing, Mich.

Bureau of Agricultural Industry, C. A. Boyer, Director.

September 9, 1945.

## STAHELIN'S GUARANTEE

prices or quotations by mail not subject to discount. THIS DISCOUNT NOT GOOD AFTER FEBRUARY 1ST, 1947.

OZ CASH DISCOUNT

full enclosed, are subject to a 10% discount. This

amount to be deducted from your remittance. Special

Orders received during January at the prices quoted in this catalog, with cash in

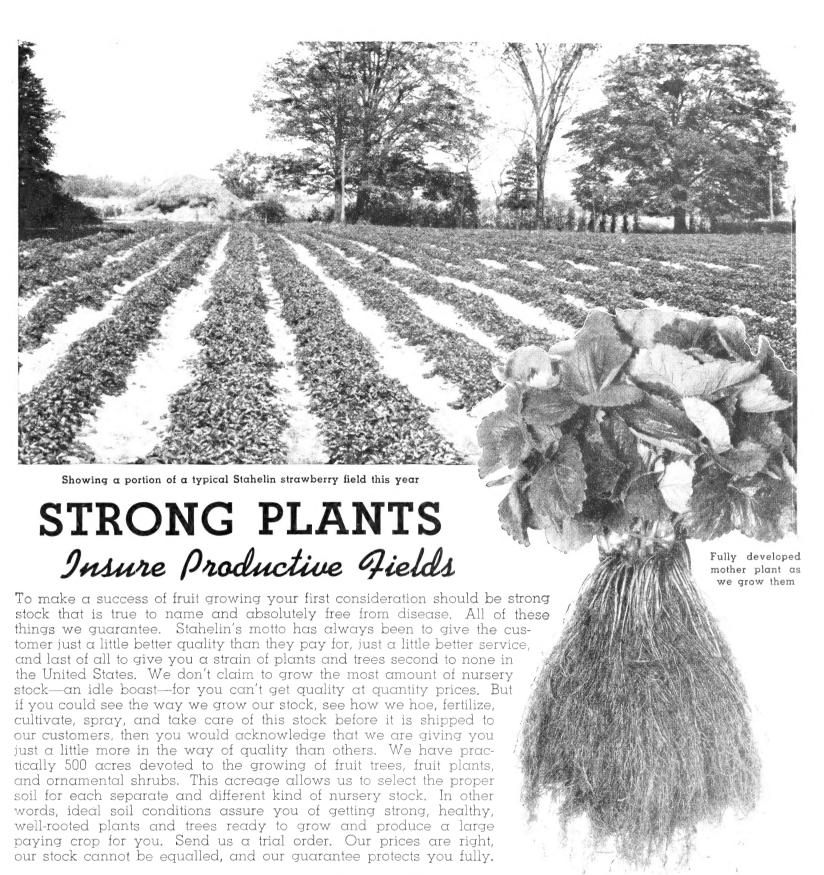
All nursery stock you buy from Stahelin's is guaranteed to arrive in first class condition, and be free from disease, if shipped by express or mail. We assume no responsibility for freight shipments. If for any reason you are not satisfied, we must be notified as soon as stock is received. As our nursery stock is guaranteed to arrive in a live condition, our responsibility ceases as soon as stock is planted, for we cannot be responsible for weather or other conditions beyond our control. If through error, any stock proves untrue to name, it will be replaced free of charge the following season. At no time are we responsible for more than the original cost of the stock.

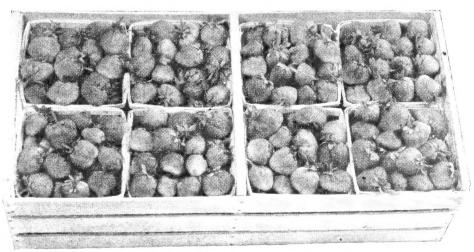
#### FALL SHIPMENTS

We encourage the fall planting of nursery stock. Plants and trees are dormant then, and when warm weather comes in the spring your stock is ready to commence growing. Nursery stock can't be shipped until it has had some cold weather to harden it up, and fall shipments are usually made after the middle of October. NO DISCOUNT ON FALL ORDERS.

#### C.O.D. ORDERS

We can ship C.O.D. if order amounts to \$3.00 or more at full catalog price, no discount allowed, but 10c on each dollar must be included with your order as a down payment. If order amounts to \$3.00, send 30c with order; if \$4.00, send 40c, etc. You may inspect express shipments before you pay. (Parcel Post not subject to examination.) If satisfactory, pay the agent the amount due.



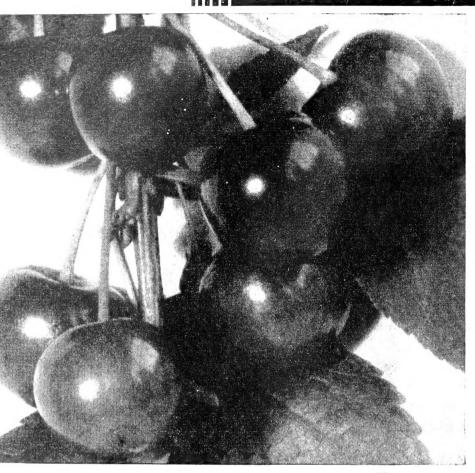


## TRUE-TO-NAME

## Nursery Stock

We have always been extremely careful to see that our customers get just what they order. Our stock is absolutely guaranteed to be true-to-name. By years of careful plant and bud selection we have a strain of stock that will outproduce and outgrow any stock that we know, and bears very young. Think what a difference it makes after your fruit comes into production whether you have true-to-name fruit or unnamed varieties that run small and green. Try our stock and we know that your results will be greatly improved.

## Stahelin's CHERRY TREES



#### Montmorency

#### Sweet Cherries SWEET SEPTEMBER

Fall bearing cherry. Fruit the size of Montmorency; striking red color. Delicious eating and canning kind. Early bearing. Ripens in September, and hangs on until "snow flies." PRICED BELOW.

#### WINDSOR

A large, dark red cherry. Flesh is quite firm, making it an excellent shipping variety. Fruit clings to the tree long after ripe. Trees are hardy, regular prolific bearers, and good pollinizers. PRICED BELOW.

#### BLACK TARTARIAN

Very common black sweet cherry. The inside flesh is purple or darkish black, and is very sweet and juicy. Popular for eating, canning and shipping. Ripens early. PRICED BE-LOW.

#### SCHMIDT'S BIGARREAU

A hardy strain of Bing, about the same size, and presents much the same appearance. Is a deep mahogany red in color; flesh is tender, juicy and fine flavored. Bears young, hardy, and a sure cropper. PRICED BELOW.

#### AUGUST SUPREME

New late summer cherry. The tree is hardy, vigorous and productive, forming an excellent roundish upright shape. Starts to bear at an early age. The fruit may be separated from the stem without loss of juice or injury to the fruit. PRICED BELOW.

#### NAPOLEON

Most popular golden yellow cherry. Large size with bright red cheek. Firm, juicy, and very sweet. Good producer.
[4] Ripens in early July. PRICED AT RIGHT.

#### Sour Cherries

#### **MONTMORENCY**

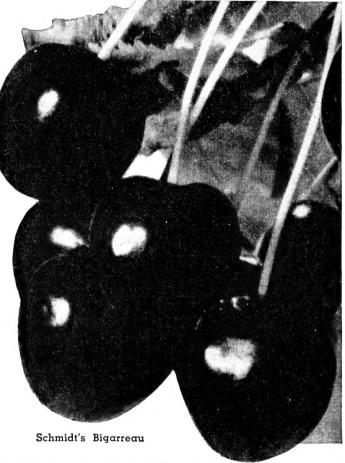
The most satisfactory, and most profitable sour cherry. Fruit ripens midseason to late and has remarkable keeping qualities on the tree after it is ripe. Flavor is sub-acid. Preferred by canners and pie makers. Self pollinizing and very hardy. PRICED BELOW.

#### EARLY RICHMOND

A variety somewhat similar to Montmorency only it is slightly smaller in size. The trees grow identical, but the Early Richmond ripens a crop and is out of the way before the Montmorency starts to ripen. Self pollinizing. **PRICED BELOW.** 

#### SOUR CHERRY PRICES

All 2 Year, Branched, Budded, and Well Rooted Trees. Each 10 5/16 Caliper,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ -2 ft.....\$1.25 \$11.00 \$26.25 7/16 Caliper,  $2\frac{1}{2}$ -3 ft..... 1.50 31.25 13.95 9/16 Caliper, 3-4½ ft..... 1.75 16.50 11/16 Caliper, 4½ ft. & Up., 1.95 19.00 No Cash Discount Allowed on Cherry



#### SWEET CHERRY PRICES

2 Year, Budded, Well-Rooted Trees. Set two trees for pollination. 3 Trees Each 7/16 Caliper, 3-4 ft......\$1.75 \$5.10

10 Trees

\$14.50

9/16 Caliper, 4-5 ft..... 1.95 5.70 15.95 No Cash Discount Allowed on Cherry Trees PEAR TREES

#### BARTLETT

The favorite commercial pear. Fruit is very large, juicy, orange-golden yellow in color with a soft blush. It is quite uniform in shape. Favorable for shipping, canning, and eating. The tree is a strong grower, and produces very young. Hardy, and a regular bearer. **Priced below.** 

#### BOSC

A popular pear in California due to its wonderful keeping qualities. A very long-neck pear which is used for boxing purposes, but is highly desirable because of its excellent flavor and shipping qualities. Tree bears young and is hardy. **Priced below.** 

#### CLAPP'S FAVORITE

Perhaps the largest of all pears, and always tops the market because of its excellent appearance. It is greenish yellow skinned with a dark red blush. Is quite juicy and sweet. Is a good shipper and the fruit ripens a few days after Bartlett. **Priced below.** 

#### FLEMISH BEAUTY

A pear that is absolutely honey sweet in flavor when fully ripe. Is medium to large in size, pale yellow colored with a reddish brown cheek. Flesh is fine grained, juicy, rich and very sweet. Tree lives to a remarkably old age. **Priced below.** 

#### SECKEL

A little red sugar pear. It is richest, highest flavored pear known. Is much desired for pickling and canning purposes. Tree is very hardy. Ripens late September. **Priced below.** 

#### LAWSON Described on page 10. Priced below.

#### COPE'S SEEDLESS

A seedless variety when grown alone. Planted near other varieties it may cross pollinize and produce seeds. Ripens a few days after Bartlett. Superbly sweet and fine textured. Especially fine for canning and dessert purposes. Trees are thrifty, start bearing when about 3 years old. Yellow skin, slightly pinkish on cheek. **Priced below.** 

# PRICES—PEAR TREES All 2 Year Well Rooted Budded Trees Each 10 25 7/16 Caliper, 3-4 ft. \$1.45 \$12.25 \$24.50 9/16 Caliper, 4-5 ft. 1.65 14.50 31.00

#### 5 IN 1 PEAR TREES

We offer five distinct and separate varieties of pears on each tree. We have made a number of different combinations on these trees, therefore, we can't guarantee any certain variety, but we do guarantee to give you five different kinds of pears on a single tree.

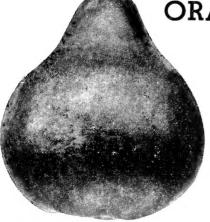
9/16 Caliper, Branched trees, \$2.75 each; 3 for \$6.95.

#### DWARF PEAR TREES

We offer a few selected dwarf pear trees this year. Bartlett and Duchess varieties only. These small dwarf trees can be grown in your backyard or anywhere that you are restricted for space. They are small at maturity, bear early, and

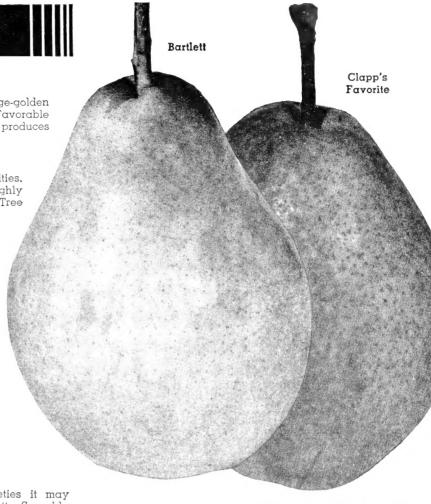
produce the same high quality fruit as large size trees. 2-3 ft. trees, \$2.85 each; 3 for \$7.95.

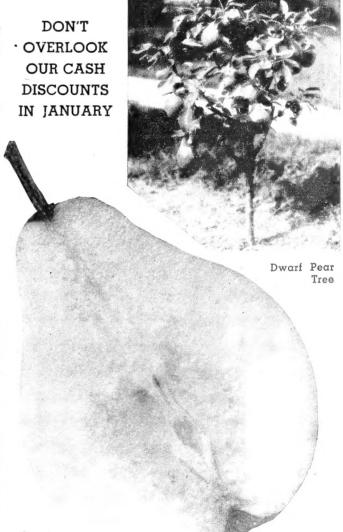




We list only one kind of Quince, which is the Orange variety. This is a dwarf growing tree which should be planted about 12 to 14 ft. apart. The foliage is very leathery, disease resistant, and quite dark in appearance. Orange Quince is hardy in practically all sections. The fruit is large like a good sized apple, golden yellow in color. This variety is valued very highly for preserving or jelly making. Branched trees, ½" Caliper, \$1.75 each.

Seedless





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## Selected NORTHERN GROWN

#### PRICES ALL PEACH TREES LISTED ON THIS PAGE

Dormant bud trees. Well branched and well rooted. Bear quickly and heavily.

- /			Each	10	25	100
7/16	Caliper,	2½-4 ft	\$ .95	\$ 8.50	\$18.75	\$70.00
9/16	Caliper,	4-5 ft	1.00	9.00	21.75	79.00
11/16	Caliper,	5 ft. and Up	1.25	11.50	24.50	95.00

#### KALHAVEN

A Michigan peach which is a result of a cross between the I. H. Hale and the old Kalamazoo vari-

> ety. Immense in size; its color and flavor is excellent. Very hardy. It is large, round in shape, is a beautiful red color all over, and is an extremely good shipper. Ripens a few days after the common Elberta. The tree is hardy, makes an excellent growth, and is a selfpollinizer. Freestone.

PRICED ABOVE.

#### Sullivans EARLY

## **ELBERTA**

Sullivan's Early Elberta is the new type Elberta

peach that is sweeping the peach growing section of the country. The tree is very hardy and it is rapidly replacing the old standard Elberta peach wherever it has been tried, chiefly because of its ripening season which is far ahead of the ordinary Elberta. Ripens 7 to 10 days before Elberta, identical in shape, color, flavor, but is slightly larger in size. Excellent shipper. PRICED ABOVE.

#### HALE HAVEN

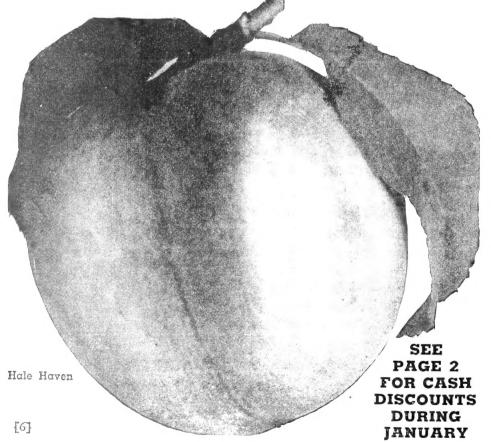
Colors all red long before it is ripe, and retains its richness of flavor over a long period. Is round in shape, very sweet flavor, and ripens about a week before Elberta. Freestone. Is one of the greatest shipping and canning peaches introduced. PRICED ABOVE.

#### SHIPPER'S LATE RED

A round type peach, ripening about  $\alpha$ week before Salaway and about ten days after Elberta. Is a large producer, the tree is a good pollinizer, and is quite hardy. The fruit is firm, yellow freestone, and its solid-red color presents a beautiful appearance. PRICED ABOVE.



us you are assured of getting stock that is fresh, and on which the bark will be firm and not shriveled. These fresh trees are far superior to those that are kept in inside storage over winter. Our trees are subject to the coldest of weather all winter outside, and have no protection.



Kalhaven



#### PRICES—HALE HAVEN, PERFECT HALE, J. H. HALE, ELBERTA, ROCHESTER, RED HAVEN

Dormant bud trees. Well branched and well rooted.
Bear quickly and heavily.

	10	25	100
Each	Trees	Trees	Trees
7/16 Caliper, 21/2-4 ft\$ .95	\$ 8.50	\$18.75	\$70.00
9/16 Caliper, 4-5 ft	9.00	21.75	79.00
11/16 Caliper, 5 ft. and Up 1.25	11.50	24.50	95.00

#### PERFECT HALE

A perfect flowering yellow variety. The Perfect Hale will ripen a few days after you have picked your Elberta peaches. This will lengthen your picking season a great deal.

#### Money-Maker

It is of the Elberta type, although it is nearly round in shape. It has the rich "Hale" flavor, but its quality is about like Elberta. although it is more highly colored. Flesh is exceptionally firm, and richly flavored. Freestone. Perfect Hale has proved to be one of the best in hardiness, and it produces a full crop of good size perfect fruit every year under extreme conditions, such as drought, etc. PRICED ABOVE.

#### 5-on-1 Peach SOMETHING NEW!

We offer you five distinct separate varieties on a single tree, consisting of Jubilee, Early Elberta, Late Elberta, J. H. Hale, and Indian Cling. Five of the very best varieties ripening over an extended period. Large 9/16 trees, \$1.95 each; 10 for \$17.50.

#### J. H. HALE

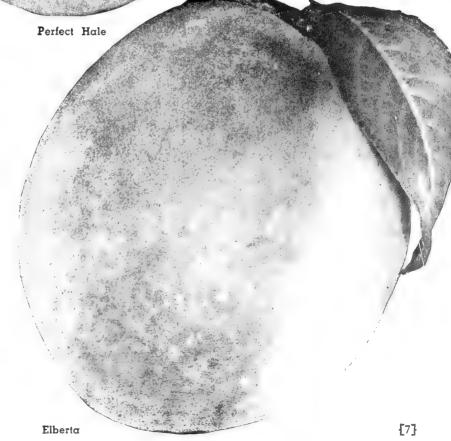
Is extra large in size, round in shape, with  $\alpha$ yellow flesh and deeply flushed cheeks. Is highly prized as a canning variety due to its red center. Freestone and semi-fertile. Should be planted with Rochester or South Haven for pollinizing purposes. PRICED ABOVE.

#### **ELBERTA**

No other peach has ever attained the popularity of this variety. Roundish oval in shape, golden yellow skin with a slightly red blush on the cheek. It is very thickly skinned, which gives it its shipping qualities. Is a yellow freestone, and self-pollinizer. Trees are quite hardy, although they will not stand frost conditions as well as some other sorts. Enormous producer. PRICED ABOVE.

#### ROCHESTER

A rich flavored, round, orange colored, extra early peach. Its popularity has gained yearly due to the fact that it is a very hardy variety. Is an excellent canner and shipper. The peach is orangeyellow with blazing cheeks, and has a wonderful flavor. It is a fine pollinizer. Should be thinned for best results. Freestone. PRICED ABOVE.





#### **MICHIGOLD**

A huge yellow freestone peach which we introduced three years ago. This peach is so good that it should replace Hale Haven and any other varieties that ripen at that time. Michigold is a semi-early peach. In our orchards Michigold has outsold all early peaches because of its immense size and extremely high color, bringing 50 to 75 cents per bushel more than Hale Haven or South Haven. Absolutely round in shape and for this reason we think it has Hale parentage. A perfect pollinizer. Absolutely hardy and an excellent shipper. While it has a very tough skin, the flesh is golden yellow and very sweet. Try this peach. Your buyers will fight to get them, paying highest prices on the market for them. Priced below.

#### PRICES-Michigold, Red Hale and White Hale

		Each	5	10	25
7/16 Calip	er, 2½-4 ft	\$1.45	\$6.95	\$12.50	\$30.00
9/16 Calip	er, 4-5 ft	1.65	7.95	14.95	35.00
11/16 Calip	er, 5 ft. & up	1.95	9.25	16.95	37.50

#### RED HALE

A bud sport of the common "Hale" variety, we can best describe this wonderful peach by comparing it to the Delicious apple. The new Red Delicious is all red in color, as is the new Red Hale. Enormous in size, excellent shipping qualities, all red in color, making this new red strain of the Hale variety an excellent peach to plant. **Priced at right.** 

#### SCARLET ELBERTA

Ripens a few days earlier than common Elberta, somewhat larger in size, and absolutely hardy. Uniformly yellow fleshed, and its color is blazing bright red. Tree is vigorous, strong growing, and bears young. Sets a heavy crop, but does not require thinning. Priced below.

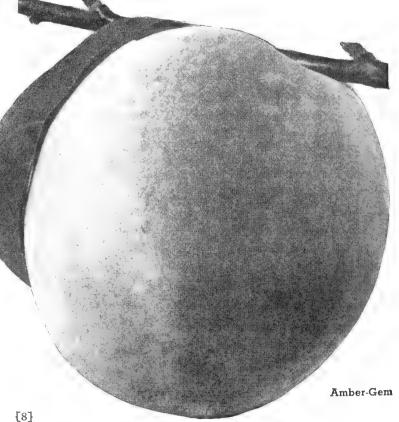
#### AMBER GEM

#### THE FROST-PROOF PEACH

A peach that is huge in size, extremely bright red in color tinged with yellow, and a clingstone variety. The tree is thrifty, bears an enormous crop, and is a wonderful peach for canning. Extremely heavy skinned, and the finest shipping peach that we have. Very hardy. Priced below.

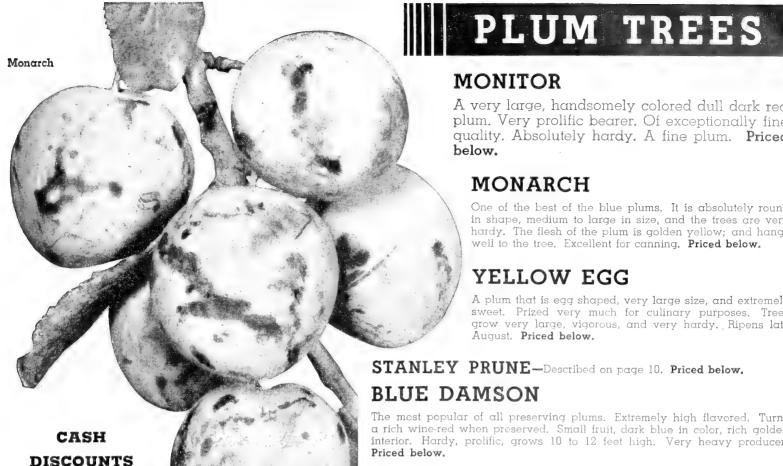
#### PRICES—Scarlet Elberta and Amber Gem

		Each	5	10	25	100
		21'2-4 ft\$1.20	\$5.60	\$10.20	\$22.20	\$ 74.50
		4-5 ft 1.35	6.50	12.50	24.95	89.00
11/16	Caliper,	5 ft. & up 1.55	7.25	14.50	32.50	110.00









#### MONITOR

A very large, handsomely colored dull dark red plum. Very prolific bearer. Of exceptionally fine quality. Absolutely hardy. A fine plum. Priced

#### MONARCH

One of the best of the blue plums. It is absolutely round in shape, medium to large in size, and the trees are very hardy. The flesh of the plum is golden yellow; and hangs well to the tree. Excellent for canning. Priced below.

#### YELLOW EGG

A plum that is egg shaped, very large size, and extremely sweet. Prized very much for culinary purposes. Trees grow very large, vigorous, and very hardy. Ripens late August. Priced below.

STANLEY PRUNE—Described on page 10. Priced below.

#### BLUE DAMSON

The most popular of all preserving plums. Extremely high flavored. Turns a rich wine-red when preserved. Small fruit, dark blue in color, rich golden interior. Hardy, prolific, grows 10 to 12 feet high. Very heavy producer.

#### PLUM PRICES—ALL VARIETIES

		Each	10 Trees	25 Trees
7/16 Caliper, 9/16 Caliper,	3-4 <b>4</b> -5	ft	\$14.95 17.50	\$31.25 38.50

## Combination Fruit Trees

#### PLUM-APRICOT-PEACH

We budded a few trees on which we can furnish you a combination of plums, apricots, and peaches on a single tree. This combination is made up of a number of different varieties and we cannot guarantee any one certain sort, but these trees are well branched and will have budded on each tree an apricot, a plum, and a peach. These trees will make a fine addition to any backyard. They will furnish a lot of shade and at the same time give you a crop of three different kinds of fruit on the same tree. Prices: 9/16 trees, \$2.25 each; 3 for \$5.95.

## GOLDBECK PERFECTION **APRICOT**

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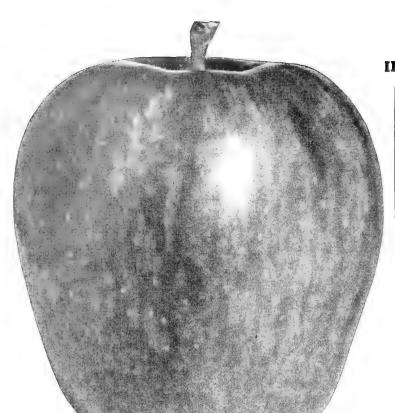
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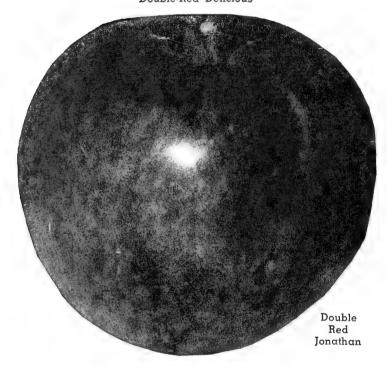
A perfect variety in regards to vigor and hardiness. Very uniform in size, averaging about like a middle size peach; has a delicious flavor. A rich golden colored apricot-yellow, ripening evenly all over.

Can be picked tree ripe for shipping. The finest apricot of today. Prices: 3-4 ft. trees, \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.45; 10 for \$13.95.

Goldbeck Perfection



Double-Red Delicious



#### RED ROME

This variety is sometimes known as Gallia Beauty, but is simply an all-red strain of the old type Rome Beauty. It is very highly prized for baking purposes. Is almost a solid red, and the apple is produced on a tree which is very large in size. Has a white, crisp, delicious flavor, and is one of the very best varieties for winter storage. PRICED ABOVE.

#### GRIMES GOLDEN

An all yellow apple. Round in shape, medium size, and the tree produces an enormous crop practically every year. It is quite acid in flavor, and is in much demand for canneries or cooking purposes. Quite hardy, and the tree is one of the best pollinizers that we know of.

Stahelin's APPLE

#### APPLE TREE PRICES

Well Rooted, Well Branched, 2 Year Budded Trees

F	ach l	0 25	100
7/16 Caliper, 3-4 ft\$	.85 \$ 7	.50 \$17.50	\$64.50
9/16 Caliper, 4-5 ft	1.10	.50 21.25	75.00
11/16 Caliper, 5 ft. and Up	1.55 12	2.50 24.50	95.00
50 or more trees at the 100 rate.	Only sma	ll size trees	mailable.

#### DOUBLE-RED DELICIOUS

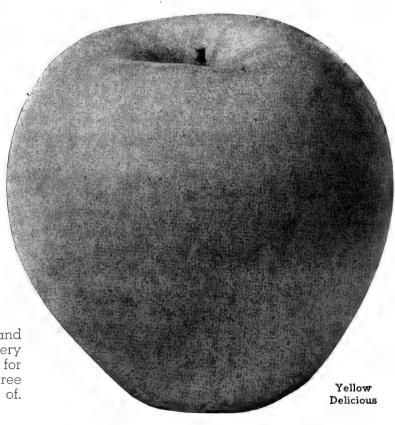
This is the improved type of the common Delicious. The Double-Red, naturally, colors up much more and much sooner than the old Delicious. The tree does well practically all over the United States. It is a wonderful size, is finely fleshed, juicy, and has a sort of sweet flavor with  $\alpha$ slight acid taste. Excellent for eating and the most popular fruit for stand purposes. PRICED ABOVE.

#### DOUBLE-RED JONATHAN

Is a solid-red type of the Jonathan variety. It colors up very early in the fall, and enables you to pick your fruit a week to ten days before the common Jonathan will color up. The tree is medium in size, the fruit is firm, crisp and tender. Long lived, productive, and is a very early bearer. A wonderful winter apple. PRICED ABOVE.

#### YELLOW DELICIOUS

Is identical in shape and size with the ordinary red Delicious, but is completely yellow in appearance. Īs sweetly acid in flavor, and the flesh is very firm, crisp and juicy. Is a splendid shipper. The trees we offer are all from parent trees that we selected for extra quality, size and vigor. Popular and profitable everywhere. PRICED ABOVE.



## TREES QUICK BEARING

VARIETIES

#### RED NORTHERN SPY

An improved strain of the common Spy apple. We have selected it from the best trees we can find so as to get a Northern Spy that will color up early in the fall. Our Red Northern Spy will do this. Very popular for eating, and housewives demand it wherever it can be secured. Flesh is white, tender and sub-acid. PRICED ON PAGE 12.

#### WEALTHY

This is  $\alpha$  variety that apparently does well all over the United States, and is one of the few kinds of apples that can be grown in the northwest successfully. It is a fall apple, medium in size, and has a very fine flavor. Much desired for cooking and pie making. The tree is quick bearing, very prolific, and extremely hardy. **PRICED ON PAGE 12.** 

#### SOLID-RED WINESAP

An improved strain of the old Stayman's Winesap, which gives you a great deal more color early in the season. It is large, round, cherry red, winter apple which is a wonderful keeper. Has a slight sweet acid flavor, and is very popular for eating or cooking purposes. Tree is very hardy and thrifty. PRICED ON PAGE 12.

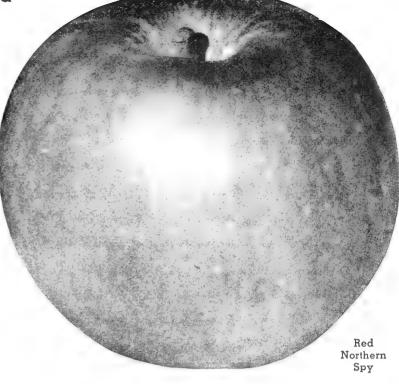
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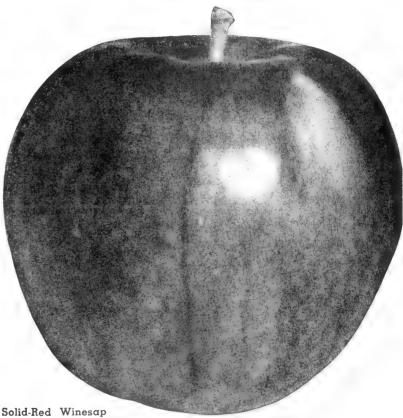
This variety is perhaps the finest of our fall apples. It is a cross of the common McIntosh and the old Ben Davis. It retains all the fine qualities of McIntosh as to flavor, coloring, etc., but it also has the sticking qualities of Ben Davis. It sticks on the tree when the ordinary McIntosh falls to the ground. Extra-large, round apple of beautiful dark red color. Good shipper. **PRICED ON** PAGE 12.



#### NOTICE

fruit trees into the following states: Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah and





#### 5 IN 1 APPLE TREE

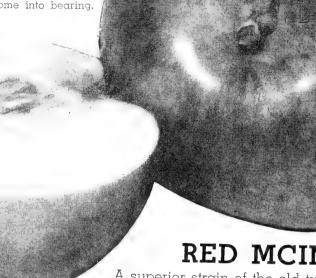
"The City-man's Orchard." The quintuplet apple is  $\alpha$ tree that has been produced so that the small home owner who has a restricted planting space can have a variety of apples over a long picking season. We have budded on a single apple five different varieties, Double-Red Delicious, Jonathan, Stayman's Winesap, Yellow Transparent, and Red June which will bear fruit over a long period of time. The trees are highly ornamental and present a beautiful appearance when the blossoms are bursting in the spring, followed by more blossoms as the later varieties come on. Prices: 9/16 to 11/16 trees, \$2.95 each; 3 for \$7.50.

HIGHEST QUALITY NORTHERN GROWN TREES

The apple trees which we list in this catalog are whole rooted stock, and they are budded from parent trees which have been selected as the best strains of each variety that we can find in nearby states and in Michigan. This selected parentage assures you of getting trees which will go on and produce the finest fruits after they come into bearing.

WE ARE GROWERS OF FRUIT TREES NOT **IOBBERS** 

CASH DISCOUNTS ON EARLY ORDERS See Page 2



RED MCINTOSH

Red

A superior strain of the old type McIntosh. It is practically all-red all over and retains its color and appearance well after being picked. It sticks to the tree  $\alpha$ great deal better than does the common McIntosh. It is a very important Fall apple. Trees are very hardy and start to bear quite young. An exceptionally fine eating apple, of good size, bright red color, and a delicious aromatic flavor. PRICED BELOW.

#### ANOKA

Noteworthy for its hardiness and the beautiful red striped fruit which it produces. Bears very early, often having fruit the second year. Fruit is of excellent quality, ripening shortly after Yellow Transparent. It is more adapted to the northern and central sections than the eastern seaboard belt. PRICED BELOW.

#### YELLOW TRANSPARENT

This variety is good to eat long before other varieties are ready. Is yellow in color; very crisp, juicy white flesh, and a delicious flavor. One of the best of the early varieties. Tree is very productive; grows rapidly, bears young, and is very profitable. PRICED BELOW.

#### **DUCHESS**

One of the earliest of summer apples. It is produced on a tree which does not grow to an extremely large size, but is very hardy. An almost round apple of a brilliant yellow color with a slight red cheek. Very popular for pies or preserving purposes. PRICED BELOW.

#### APPLE TREE PRICES

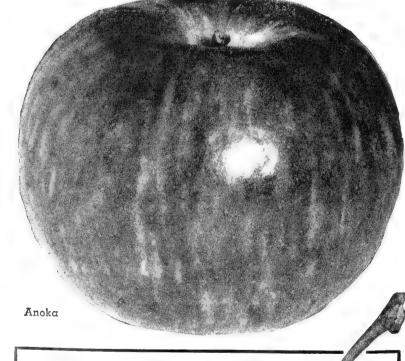
Well Rooted, Well Branched, 2 Year **Budded Trees** 

Each 100 7/16 Caliper, 3-4 ft...\$ .85 \$ 7.50 \$17.50 \$64.50

9/16 Caliper, 4-5 ft... 1.10 9.50 21.25 75.00 11/16 Caliper, 5 ft.

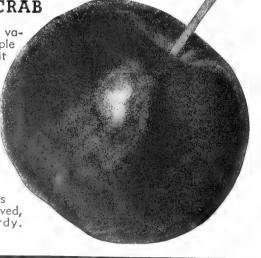
and Up ...... 1.55 12.50 24.50 95.00

50 or more trees at the 100 rate Only small size trees mailable



#### HYSLOP CRAB

This is the only variety of crab apple that we list, as it is by far the best. Is a real dark purple color when fully ripened, and has a wonderful flavor. Used by for canners pickling, jelly, etc. Trees produce enormous crops, are long lived, and very hardy. Priced at right.



# Stahelin's GRAPE PLANTS Selected BIG PROFITS IN GROWING GRAPES

#### CONCORD

Grows on all soils, producing enormous crops of large blue-black berries of highest quality fruit. Highly resistant to drought, insects and diseases. Ripens mid-September. America's leading wine and table grape. Huge 3 yr. plants, 85c each. Other Plants Priced Below.

#### DELAWARE

Small, compact bunch, sometimes shouldered. Berries are small, red, with thin skin, and unusually sweet. Ripens with Concord. Very hardy, and enormous producer. Long called the standard of excellence of all grapes as a table delicacy. Priced below.

#### FREDONIA

A new early black grape, originated and thoroughly tested by the New York Experiment Station. Bunch and berries are large with excellent flavor. Ripens fully 10 days before Moore's Early and is an excellent shipper. Priced below.

#### GOLDEN MUSCAT

Bunches are of good size, brilliant yellow in color, and have a delicious flavor. Will do well wherever the Concord grows. Excellent shipper and producer.

Prices: 1 yr. No. 1 plants, 80c each; 4 for \$3.00; 10 for \$7.00; 20 for \$13.25.

#### NIAGARA

Leading commercial white grape. More productive than other white varieties. Berries are very large, and bunches compact. The quality of Niagara compares with Concord. Priced below.



Concord

The only grape that is practically free of seeds. A beautiful blue-black variety that ripens about the same time as common Concord. Is perfectly hardy. Produces good large bunches that are delicious in flavor. Can be grown in any section where ordi-

nary varieties grow. Prices: 1-yr. No. 1 plants, \$1.05 each; 4 for \$3.95; 6 for \$5.70; 10 for \$8.95; 20 for \$17.50.



Commonly called the skinless grapes. Golden honey colored, flavor sweet and delicious. Vine is vigorous and very productive. A fine grape for storage.

Prices: 1-yr. No. 1 plants, 80c each; 4 for 3.00; 10 for \$7.00; 20 for \$13.25.

#### VAN BUREN

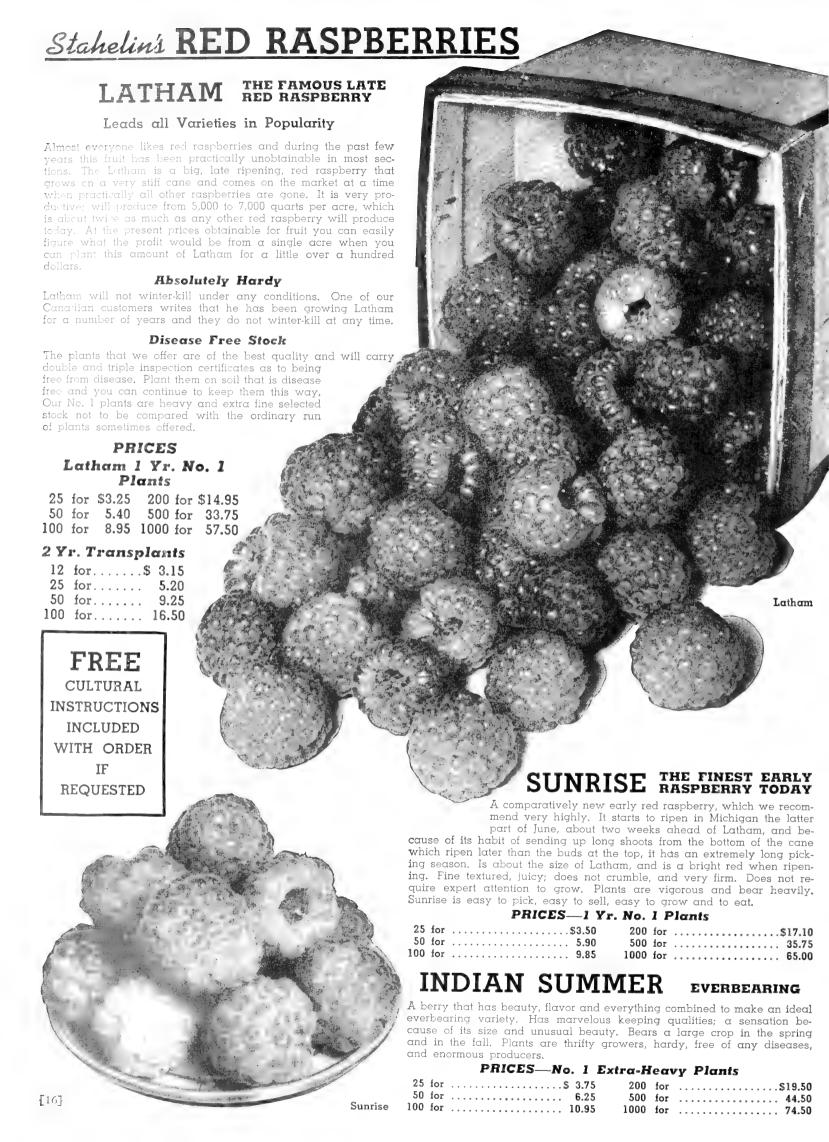
Absolutely new, although it has been thoroughly tested in all grape growing sections. Luxuriant grower, producing compact and well shaped bunches of blue-black color. Exceptionally sweet. Extremely early, ripening 3 to 4 weeks before any other grape is on the market.

Prices: 1 yr. No. 1 plants, 80c each; 4 for \$3.00; 10 for \$7.00; 20 for \$13.25.



Seneca

	All varieties except	Golden 6	Muscat,	Senecα, 25	Van B	uren, Cond	ord Seed	lless. 1000
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## Stahelin's BLACK RASPBERRIES



Most popular black raspberry today because of its great size, beauty, its firmness and productiveness. The fruit is the largest of the black raspberry family, often measuring practically an inch in diameter. Cumberland is very hardy, and will stand many degrees below zero without injury. It sets a great many berries, and should be heavily trimmed to get best results. Is a wonderful canning berry, makes delicious pies and jelly. Commands top market prices for black raspberries. Is almost disease free, and very popular because of this quality. Stands severe drought and cold weather conditions well, and is able to grow on almost any soil that is not wet. **PRICED BELOW.** 

## LOGAN BLACK RASPBERRY

An Ohio origination. Logan ripens 7 to 10 days ahead of Cumberland, which allows the grower to get on the market ahead of other varieties, giving him an opportunity to make some real money. Produces immense crops of jet black berries, as large as Cumberland. Does not crumble, and the last picking looks as nice as the first. Stands severe weather conditions. A great deal of its present popularity is due to its "disease-free qualities." PRICED BELOW.

## PRICES—Cumberland and Logan

#### 1-Yr. No. 1 Plants

25 for \$1.85 200 for \$10.95 50 for 3.35 500 for 21.75 100 for 5.50 1000 for 37.50

#### 2-Yr. Bearing Age Plants



2-Year Bearing Age Plants Available

BLACKBERRIES ALFRED

It is the most coreless blackberry that we have. It succeeds almost everywhere. Is of excellent flavor, very firm, and the size holds up well to the end of the picking season. Has very small seeds. Hardy, and has withstood 30 degrees below zero. Has long picking season. Ripens a few days earlier than Eldorado. The plant is a very vigorous grower, and at no time has been infected with common blackberry diseases. Its Michigan origination makes it adaptable to all sections. PRICED BELOW.

#### **ELDORADO**

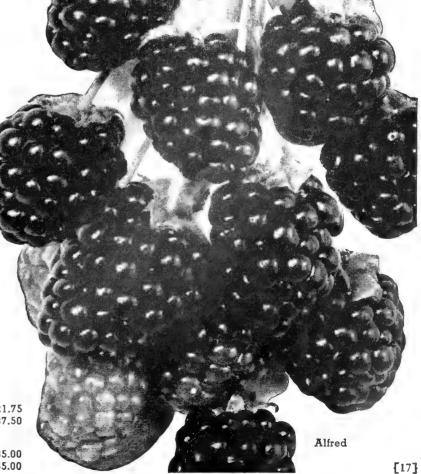
Produces a full crop of jet black berries of large size. Has a delicious aroma and flavor. Is an excellent shipper, retaining its rich glossy black color after being picked. Very small core, and is a favorite for canning. Extremely hardy. Most of the fruit is borne on the top part of the plants, and care should be taken when trimming not to cut it back too far. **PRICED BELOW.** 

#### PRICES—Alfred and Eldorado

#### 1-Year No. 1 Plants

12 for \$1.45 50 for \$3.35 500 for \$21.75 25 for 1.95 100 for 5.50 1000 for 37.50 2-Year Transplants

500 for \$35.00 1000 for 65.00



## Giant THORNLESS— BOYSENBERRY

#### EARLY RIPENING SEASON

The New Thornless Boysenberry is an off-spring of the common thorny type Boysenberry. It is a sport that has been carefully selected and improved until it is practically free of thorns. It has the same size as the common Boysenberry, often measuring from 2 to 3 inches in length. It ripens 10 days to 2 weeks earlier than the common Boysenberry, which gives it a decided advantage for the grower who wishes to get his berries on the market while prices are at the top. In the selection of plants, size of fruit was also taken into consideration, as well as ripening season, so the new Thornless Boysenberry is regarded as a superior strain of the old. Very highly regarded for culinary purposes.

#### PRICES 1 YEAR No. 1 PLANTS

6	for	\$1.25	50	for	\$	5.45	300	for	\$26.30
12	for	2.15	100	for		9.55	500	for	41.50
25	for	3.35	200	for	1	7.95	1000	for	72.50

#### 2-YEAR BEARING AGE PLANTS

Each \$ .75 6 for \$3.90 3 for 2.10 12 for 7.20

25 for \$12.40

## Thorny BOYSENBERRY

#### THE LARGEST BERRY GROWN

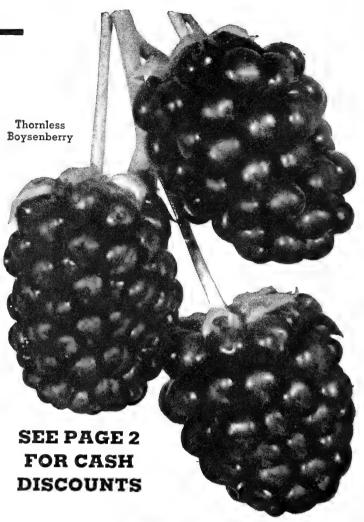
This variety is of the Dewberry type, and must be placed on a trellis for best results. These dark maroon colored berries often measure from 2 to 3 inches in length.

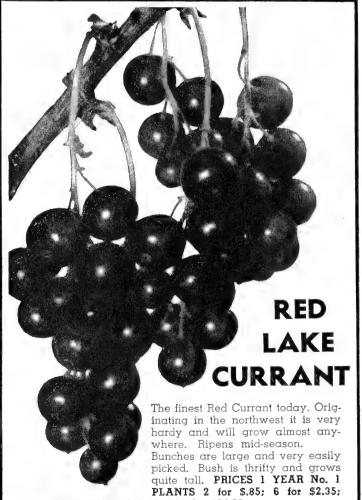
Boysenberry has a distinctly different flavor, and when allowed to ripen on the vines is much sweeter than any other of the dewberry types. Is very juicy and sweet, and will hang for days on the vines after it is ripe. Is quite hardy, and ripens a few days earlier than the dewberry.

#### PRICES 1 YEAR No. 1 PLANTS

25 for \$2.95 50 for 4.75 100 for 8.10







25 for \$6.95; 50 for \$13.00; 100 for \$24.50.

Currants can be shipped to the following states only: Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Kansas, Iowa, Missouri, Oklahoma,

Nebraska, Texas, Colorado, Kentucky, North and South



**PLANTS** 

The low cost way of

starting a blueberry field at 37c each in lots

of 100. You can start

very cheaply. Grow

them in nursery rows for two years and you

get a fine 3 year plant at low cost. Priced Be-

**RUBEL** Late

This variety was one of the first that was offered to the public, and has continued down through the years to be one of the best. Is a parent of many of the present hybrids. The bush is upright, very vigorous, hardy and productive. Ships well. Is a producer of large size fruit, and a heavy bearer. Priced below.

#### JERSEY Midseason

In our opinion, Jersey is superior to some of the other blueberries. The bush is very upright, vigorous and a large producer. The fruit is

enormous in size, very attractive, firm and very sweet. We recommend Jersey for home use as well as shipping. Priced below.

#### RANCOCAS Very Early

Is of excellent quality, and a very good shipper. The bush does not grow quite as tall as Rubel, but it produces a lot of fruit over a long picking season. Priced below.

#### Huge, 4 Yr., 15-20 In. Plants

These large size plants are ready to bear, and will save you 2 to 3 years growth. All varieties. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.25; 10 for \$19.50.

BLUEBERRY PRICES						
2	5	10	50	100		
1 yr. Rooted Cuttings 3½ to 5" growth	\$2.45	\$ 4.25	\$20.50	\$37.00		
2 yr. 7-10" total height\$2.25	4.75	8.95	37.50	69.50		
<b>3 yr. 10</b> -15" total height. 3.00	7.00	11.95	52.50	95.00		
1-yr. Rooted Cuttings not	sold in	lots of less	than 5.			

Showing a 5-yr. plant in full production.

# IMAGINE! RICH RED BERRIES BOTH SPRING AND FALL FROM THE SAME PLANTS

## EVERBEARING

## **EVERMORE**

#### ALSO CALLED MINNESOTA 1166

The everbearing strawberry without any faults. Starts to bear sixty days after planting and continues bearing until heavy frosts

#### Three Crops in 18 Months

Evermore, or Minnesota 1166, produces berries continuously during the first summer, then next spring and during the following summer.

#### Huge Size

The fruit is attached to a long fruit stem that has a very bright green calyx, and the berries are immense in size. They do not deteriorate or rot in the box but will dry up. The color of the fruit is very dark red, and solid-red clear through. Extremely fine flavor. This keeping quality makes the Evermore an excellent shipper, and its fine appearance makes it command a high market price.

Evermore is an everbearing strawberry that anyone can raise. The first of its kind that reproduces itself quite readily under fair weather conditions. It's one of the best and we know you will like it.

#### DRICES

25	for\$1.	.50 250	for\$	8.75
50	for	45 500	for	16.95
100	for 3.	65 1000	for	29.50



STRAWBERRIES

## Jamous GEM

The Favorite Everbearer. Back in 1935 we received under exclusive contract with the originator, our parent supply of this variety. It is the only everbearer that makes plants freely. The berry is dark red, pointed—about the size of Dunlap, of excellent quality, and has a sweet tart flavor. Will commence to bear about 60 days after planted, and will continue to do so all summer and up until cold weather sets in. Can be grown on soil where an ordinary everbearing would be a failure. Plants set in April or May start bearing in July and continue until winter. Bears two crops again next year.

#### PRICES

25 for\$1.50	250 for\$ 8.75
	500 for 16.95
100 for 3.65	1000 for 29.50

## **MASTODON**

#### 3 Full Crops in 18 Months

So well known to our customers that we are not devoting much space to it. Stahelin's stock is of the original strain well known all over the United States, and is more widely planted than all others combined. Produces a large amount of fruit in the fall when all others are gone. Berries are large, presenting a wonderful appearance, and are easily picked. Should be planted on the very richest and dampest of soil. Perfect flowering. Produces a giant crop 60 days after planting.

#### PRICES

25	for	\$1.50	250	for	8.75
50	for	2.45	500	for	16.95
100	for	3.65	1000	for	29.50

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# E Streamliner

#### THE PERFECT EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY-FRUIT ALL SUMMER & FALL

#### CHOICE OF THE NATION

We realize that it is hard to make people know just how good Streamliner is until they have seen it in fruiting. At that time it is fairly ablaze with big, red berries. Big, juicy, sweet as honey berries, and lots of them on every plant. Streamliner is the best everbearing variety that we have seen in the last twenty years, and as we introduced Mastodon to the public in 1923, we believe that we should know something about everbearing varieties. This is the variety to plant for commercial purposes. It has fine color, is very firm, and the quality is equal to any. The New Streamliner has completely taken the country by storm, from the western part of the United States to the east and the south the Streamliner continues to make friends and is rapidly becoming the most popular everbearing strawberry. This is the cause of its high performance, its large production, and the high price it commands on local markets.

#### Large Size, Healthy Foliage, and Excellent Flavor

Streamliner commences to bear about fifty days after planting and continues to bear the second year as well as the first, which most everbearing varieties will not do. It is extremely sweet and produces berries as large as crab apples. The foliage is quite leathery and very healthy. Free of disease. A perfect flowering variety.

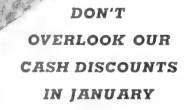
#### Hardy

Streamliner is especially hardy, doing well under all weather conditions where it has been grown. Makes plants quite freely. Produces lots of fruit early in the spring and late in the fall when all others are gone. Set this variety in your garden and have something fine in the way of fruit. Plant now for pleasure and sell your excess for profit.

#### SPECIAL OFFER

2000 STREAMLINER PLANTS FOR \$62.00

NET-NO DISCOUNT



# Stahelin's

#### STREAMLINER PRICES

25	for.		۰					\$1.75	
50	for.							2.95	
100	for.							4.95	
200	for.			٠	٠	٠	٠	8.85	
300	for.		٠					12.25	
500	for.	۰			۰			18.95	
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#### THE WORLD'S GREATEST STRAWBERRY

Scarlet Beauty will produce more huge, first-class berries per acre than any variety we have ever seen. It has healthy foliage, is an excellent plant maker, and a great producer. This makes Scarlet Beauty the best today.



Since we introduced Scarlet Beauty a few years ago we have increased our planting to take care of the demand of this variety. This popularity tells us that Scarlet Beauty is doing well all over the country and it is replacing other varieties where quality is desired. Premier was our leading variety for years. Now the Scarlet Beauty is outselling the Premier berry on our local market because under fair conditions it will out-produce and at the same time outsell Premier because of its extremely large size and attractive color.

#### Huge Size, Bright Color

Scarlet Beauty produces fruit of extremely large size that is slightly round with a very bright green Calyx. The fruit is extremely bright and showy. Stands shipment well as the fruit is solid clear through.

#### Good Grower And Late Fruiting Season

Scarlet Beauty is a perfect flowering variety which requires no pollinizing. It is the only semi-late berry that will produce as many or more quarts per acre as the Premier. It begins to ripen soon after Premier and continues to produce large size fruit until the season ends. The plant itself is rather small, but is exceptionally long rooted. Produces a fine picking row on soil where some varieties would be a failure. 100 plants should be in every garden in the U.S. Once planted you will never be without it. We think so much of this variety that we will replace free of charge any plants you buy of this variety, if you are not entirely satisfied after you have fruited them one year.

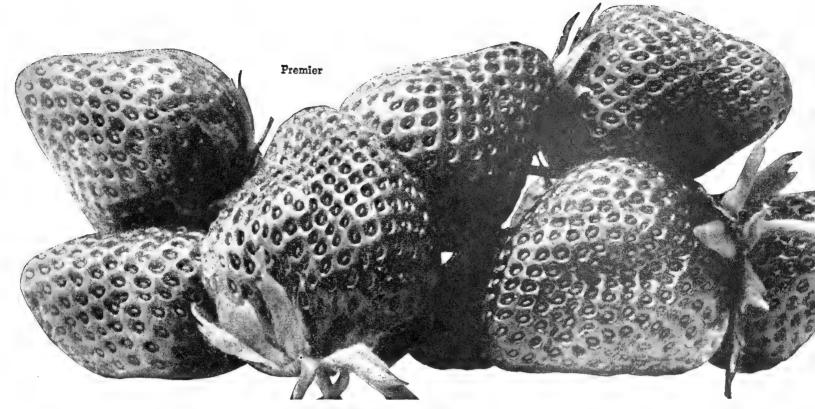
#### PRICES

25	for	\$1.40	250 for	\$ 6.95
		2.45		
100	for	3.95	1000 for	18.50
		2000 for	\$35.00	



16 qts. of Scarlet Beauty Berries

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## Stahelin's PREMIER

## Famous For Its "Frost-Proof" Qualities

By means of careful plant selection, which we have been doing for a number of years, we have perfected a strain of Premier that we know will produce more plants per acre than any other strain of Premier. Our Premier is adapted to all soil and climatic conditions. The picking season is long, commencing with the first and continuing to produce large size fruit until the late varieties are practically over. Premier is very easily picked, and easily sold because of their large size.

#### Frost-Proof

Stahelin's Premier is practically immune to late spring frost and if you are located in a section where such trouble occurs, you can be assured of getting a fine crop if you will plant our Premier. This is due to the peculiar plant growth which it makes, almost completely hiding the blossom and protecting it from severe cold.

Dunlap

#### Excellent Shipper

An extremely juicy berry, yet quite firm, making it an excellent shipper. It comes on the market when there are practically no other strawberries. Most of the fruit is pointed, although the berries are of various shapes, resembling most all varieties of strawberries. They are of bright showy red, and have a large calyx. If you want a big crop of fine fruit that will stand a lot of extreme cold weather when they are in blossom and not freeze, plant Stahelin's Premier.

#### PRICES

25 for\$.	.95 250	for\$ 5.90
50 for 1.	.60 500	for 8.70
100 for 2.	.70 1000	for 15.95

#### SENATOR DUNLAP

By our selection for health, vigor as well as productiveness, we have improved this variety until now it is recognized as being far superior to the ordinary strain of Dunlap. The berries are a beautiful crimson color, large size, firm, and quite pointed. Its firmness makes it possible to be shipped to distant markets. The wonderful

vigor of our strain of plants will fill your rows a long time before any of the others get fairly started.

#### PRICES

25	for\$ .80	250 for\$	3.55
		500 for	
100	for 1.70	1000 for	12.00

## **MAYTIME**

A JUNE-BEARING MONEY-MAKER The fruit is very large, has a fine color, and apparently will stand shipping any distance required. The plant itself is very healthy, free from leaf spot, and is quite a large variety. Maytime is perhaps the earliest ripening berry that we have. If you have had trouble in establishing a picking row, plant Maytime as its hardiness enables it to produce a picking row under severe weather conditions.

A variety for which we predict a great future when it becomes better known.

#### PRICES

25	for		. \$	1.10
50	for			1.85
100	for			2.95
250	for			5.95
500	for			9.25
1000	for			16.00

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#### "YELLOWS FREE"

Great Shipping Berry

The Blakemore is by far the best early shipping berry the South ever had. Stands a lot of abuse and neglect in growing, more than any other variety we know of. Produces enormous amount of fruit of fine quality, and will produce this fruit on land where common varieties would be a failure. Desired by canners and coldpack men. Every Blakemore plant we offer is of the "Yellows-Free" strain. These plants will outbear the common run of Blakemore, and growers should take advantage of this fact.

#### PRICES

25	for\$	.80	250	for\$	3.55
50	for	1.25	500	for	6.45
100	for	1.70	1000	for	12.00

ALL STRAWBERRIES LISTED IN THIS BOOK ARE PERFECT FLOWERING AND REQUIRE NO MATING.

Popular DORSETT

The berries are a beautiful bright, rich red color, and this light color is retained long after picking. Plants are very thrifty, standing dry weather very well. It is a very heavy producer even on soil where some other varieties would not produce a paying crop. Should not be allowed too thickly in a row for best results. It needs no pollinizer. This variety should not be planted in sections where late spring frosts are a common occurrence.

#### PRICES

Blakemore

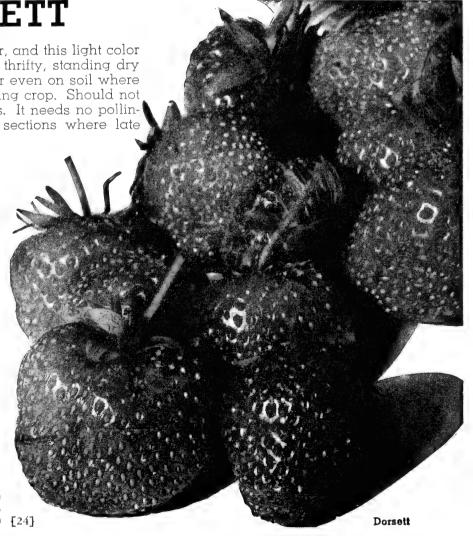
25 for	.\$1.10	250 for	6.10
50 for	. 1.90	500 for	8.95
100 for	2.85	1000 for	17.00

## CATSKILL

#### The Sugar Flavored Strawberry

It is now generally recognized as one of the best of the midseason to late varieties. This popularity is due to the fact that it will produce more quarts of large berries than any other variety. It is a sure cropper, as it ranks next to Premier in this respect. It rarely ever freezes. Catskill is bright shiny red, the berries hold their color very well, and when they are carefully packed it presents a very attractive appearance. The foliage of the plant is rich, waxy in appearance, and the fruit is produced on long picking stems. It ripens when the market is almost bare of fruit, and for this reason always commands a good price.

25	for		250	for	\$ 6.10	
50	for	1.90	500		8.95	
100	for	2.85	1000	for	17.00	ł



# Stahelin's Pedigreed ASPARAGUS

### New PARADISE

The New Giant Strain of asparagus. It will produce  $\alpha$  crop one or two years sooner than will any other known variety today. It is rust resistant, producing stalks of immense size and wonderful appearance. Is easy to grow, and once planted will last from 12 to 15 years with very little care. Paradise is the first asparagus to produce in the spring, and this crop is harvested early when you do not need to be bothered with other things on the farm.

#### Money-Maker

Paradise asparagus offers you a great opportunity to make money. These fine large rooted plants, produced from expensive pedigreed seed, enables you to buy the world's finest at a cost no higher than for common stock. Grown on special sandy soil, fertilized and dug with special machinery to get the whole root system, we offer you a premium plant at a reasonable cost. Paradise asparagus does not require any special care. We have complete culture on asparagus, ask for it when ordering.

#### PRICES—NEW PARADISE

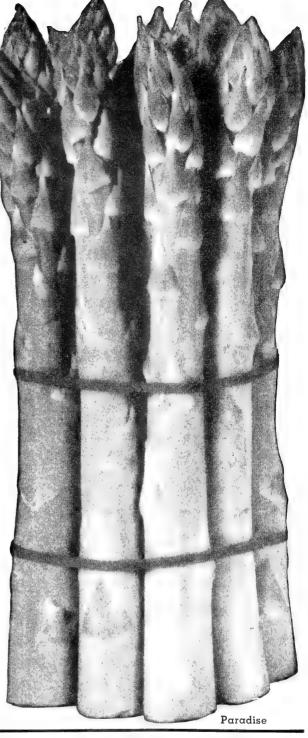
	25	50	100	200	300	500	1000
1-yr. plants		\$1.45	\$2.65	\$4.95	\$ 6.60	\$ 9.50	\$15.00
2-yr. plants	1.60	2.80	4.50	7.80	9.90	13.95	21.50
3-yr. plants	2.20	3.50	5.95	9.90	12.50	17.95	32.00

#### MARY WASHINGTON

For several years we have listed only the Paradise variety, but due to a demand from some of our customers, we have this year produced a fine crop of Mary Washington plants for those who like this variety. The pedigreed seed that we use produces specimen stock often more than an inch in diameter. It is very crisp and delicious. Wonderful for canning. The heads of Mary Washington are very solid and compact; thus, always commanding a better price than asparagus that has loose heads. This variety is absolutely rust resistant. Grows very fast and comes up exceedingly thick in the row, producing a very heavy crop. Approximately 5,000 plants are required to set an acre. Once planted they last for years, requiring little care. Starts to bear in Michigan in May and continues for about two full months.

## PRICES—MARY WASHINGTON 1 Year Plants Only

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25	50	100	200	300	500	1000
\$.85	\$1.45	\$2.65	\$4.95	\$6.60	\$9.50	\$15.00



#### MACDONALD RHUBARB

A Canadian origination, far superior to any of the other kinds of rhubarb. Is bright cherry red the full length of the stalk, very large size, and a huge producer. Is extremely tender and has a fine flavor. Stahelin's MacDonald is from original divisions, and will produce rich, ruby-red stalks so much desired.

#### PRICES—MacDONALD RHUBARB

Each 3 10 25 100
Large Divisions....\$.65 \$1.80 \$5.50 \$12.50 \$45.00

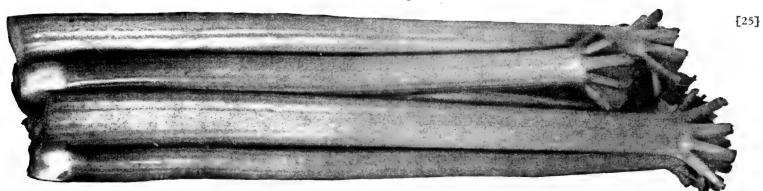
#### CANADA RED RHUBARB

"Chipman Strain"

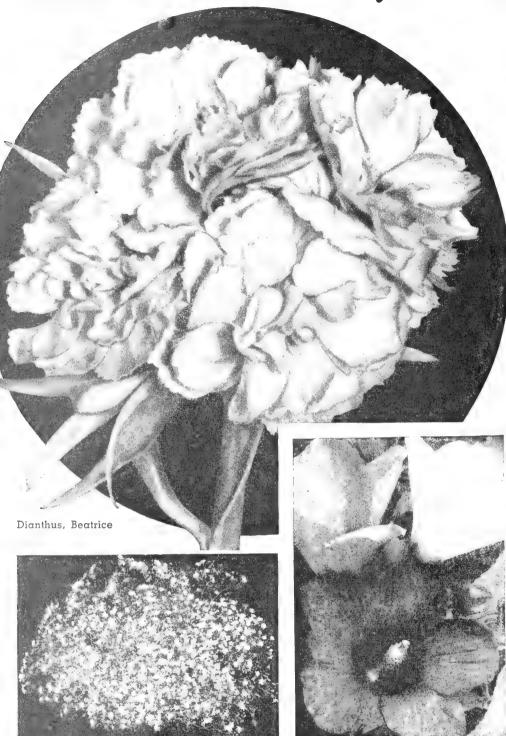
The Chipman strain of the Canada Red rhubarb is the finest obtainable today. A decided improvement over the common Canada Red. Grows very tall, the stalks growing in immense clumps of 10 to 12. This variety is intensely red, even the flesh is red, making it an especially highly desirable variety for market growers.

#### PRICES—CANADA RED

Each 3 10 25 100 Large Divisions....\$.75 \$2.10 \$6.50 \$15.00 \$49.50



## Stahelin's Choice Colorful PERENNIALS



Hibiscus



Small clusters of tiny golden flowers in early spring. Very showy and ideal for borders. 4 Plants, \$1.00.

AQUILEGIA (Mrs. Scott Elliott Hybrid)
Large flowers with long spurs. Bloom practically all summer. Lovely for cutting. Wide range of colors.
40c Each; 3 for \$1.00. Postpaid.

Blooms from June to fall. Flowers of bright orange. Sweet scented. Grows about 12 inches in height. 3 Plants, \$1.00. Postpaid.

Large hardy outdoor carnation. Blooms all summer and fall. GOLDEN SUN, yellow; PURITY, white; KING OF BLACKS, maroon; TRIUMPH, rose pink; SCARLET PRINCE, red. 5 Plants, 1 each color, \$1.00; 10 Plants, your choice of colors, \$1.85. Postpaid.

Bright deep violet-blue flowers. Bloom from July until frost. 3 Plants, \$1.00. Postpaid.

Golden yellow flowers from June until frost. Grows 18 to 24 inches tall. 4 Plants, \$1.00. Postpaid.

#### DAISY (Alaska)

Giant white Daisies with yellow centers. 4 Plants, \$1.00. Postpaid.

DELPHINIUM (Blackmore & Langdon)
This English strain is one of the finest in Delphinium.
Flowers are enormous, in delicate shades. 35c Each;
3 for 90c. Postpaid.

#### DELPHINIUM (Chinese)

Grows very tall with many branches of dark blue flowers. 30c Each; 3 for 75c. Postpaid.

#### DIANTHUS (Beatrice)

New hardy pink carnation. Produces loads of flowers all summer long. 35c Each; 4 for \$1.25. Postpaid.

#### GAILLARDIA (Burgundy)

Big flowers of wine-red with beautiful sheen. Plants grow 18 inches tall. 4 Plants, \$1.00. Postpaid.

#### GAILLARDIA (Goblin)

Dwarf Gaillardia with orange and red flowers and prickly cushion centers. Grow 8 to 12 inches tall. 4 Plants, \$1.00. Postpaid.

#### GYPSOPHILIA (Bristol Fairy)

Many clusters of double, snowflake flowers. Plants grow about 18 inches tall. 3 Plants, \$1.00. Postpaid.

#### GYPSOPHILIA (Paniculata)

Single white, Baby's Breath flowers in misty abundance. Plants grow 18 inches tall and wide. 4 Plants, \$1.00. Postpaid.

Giant flowering Hibiscus. Flowers 7 to 10 inches across. Bloom from midsummer through fall. Red or pink. 3 Plants, \$1.00. Postpaid.

HOLLYHOCK (Chaters Double)

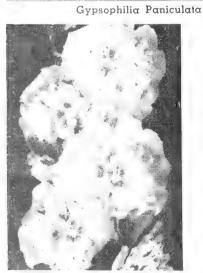
New hybrid strain with larger double blooms. Red, yellow, pink, and many other brilliant colors. 2 Year Roots, 30c Each, 5 for \$1.00. Postpaid.

#### LIATRIS

Tall stems with spikes of fuzzy purple flowers. Blooms summer to fall. 3 Plants, \$1.00. Postpaid.

#### PLATYCODON

Large blue balloon shaped flowers. Blooms all summer. 4 Plants, \$1.00. Postpaid.



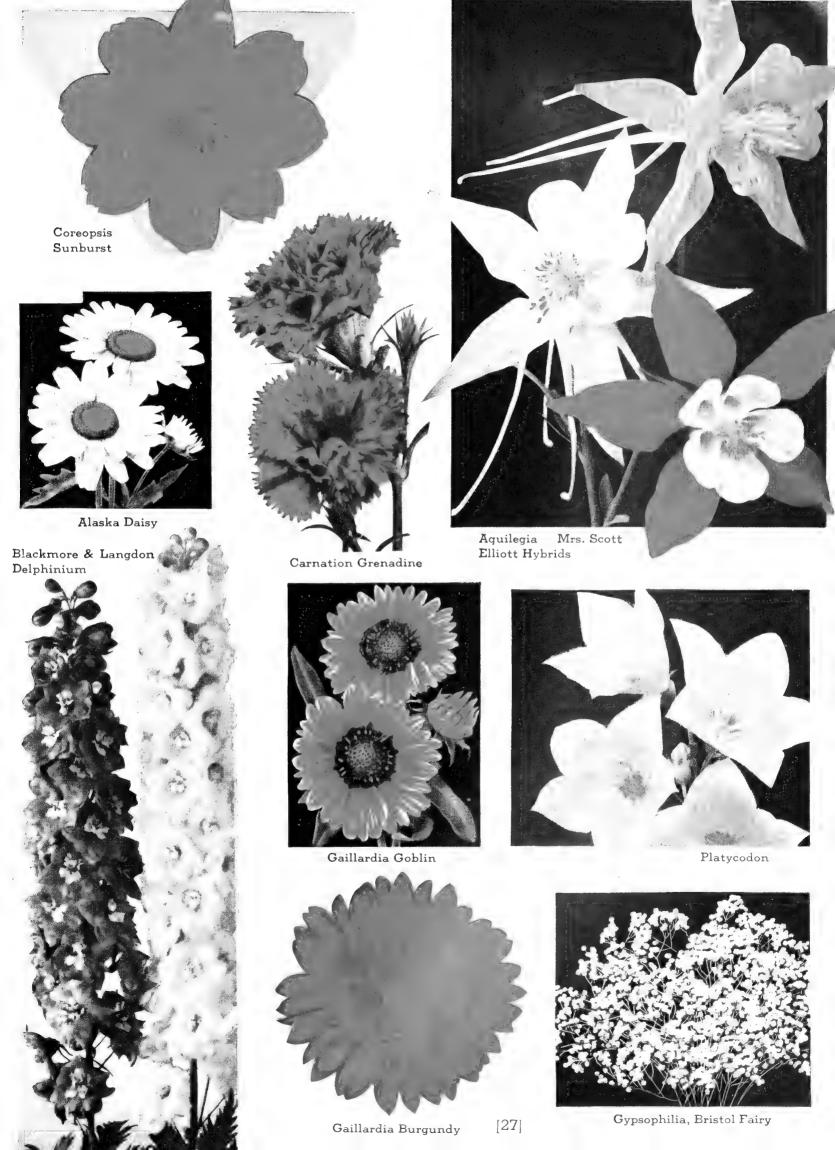
Double Hollyhock







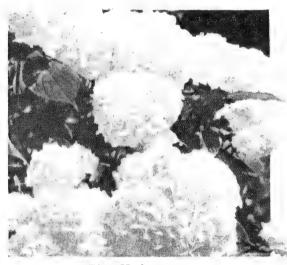
Alvssum





#### MAGNOLIA SOULANGEANA

The most popular and decorative of any of the Magnolias. It is hardy, producing very large rosepink blooms before any leaves appear in the spring, and which often measure from  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 5inches across. At maturity they will be from 8 to 10 feet in height. Strong well branched trees, 2-3 ft., \$4.50 each.



Blue Hydrangea

## Hardy MUMS

A SOLID MASS OF FLOWERS ALL FALL

NEW SUNSET. Buds of dark red opening into orange-rust flowers. Strong potted plants, .75c each; 2 for \$1.40; 5 for \$2.90.

WHITE. Flowers open with slight yellow center gradually becoming pure white. Strong potted plants, 55c each; 2 for \$1.00; 5 for \$2.25.

FLASH. An absolutely dazzling rich maroon-red. Strong potted plants; .75c each; 2 for \$1.40; 5 for \$2.90.

#### SPECIAL OFFER

- New Sunset Mum
- Flash Mum
- Yellow Mum
- 1 White Mum

No discount Strong Potted plants.

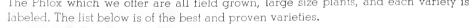
#### BLUE HYDRANGEA

This is the most perfect of all the Blue Hydrangeas. Does best under acid soil conditions and will grow in 50% shade. At maturity it will be from 2 to 3 feet in height and a mass of solid blue flowers. Strong 3 yr. field grown plants, \$1.55 each; 3 for \$4.25.



## Colorful Hardy PHLOX

The Phlox which we offer are all field grown, large size plants, and each variety is



of large, clear pink. BLUE BOY. Beautiful light blue shaded

with darker blue.

CHIEFTAIN. Brilliant dark red.

**DAILY SKETCH.** Extremely showy variety of light pink with dark eyes.

JULY LIGHTS. A new and glowing American Beauty Red.

MARY LOUISE. New variety of pure white of unusually large size.

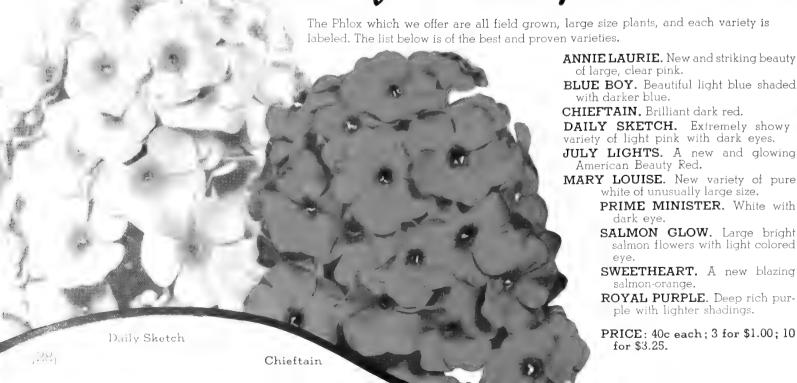
PRIME MINISTER. White with dark eye.

**SALMON GLOW.** Large bright salmon flowers with light colored

SWEETHEART. A new blazing salmon-orange.

ROYAL PURPLE. Deep rich purple with lighter shadings.

PRICE: 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$3.25.



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#### SUBURBAN FAMILY ORCHARD

This collection of fruit trees will supply the average family with all the fruit they can eat and plenty for canning. Trees will provide fine shade and beautiful blossoms. Start your family orchard

1 MONTMORENCY CHERRY. Best sour cherry. Very mild.

1 SCHMIDT'S BIGARREAU. Delicious big black sweet

WEALTHY APPLE. Fine for eating and canning.

1 STANLEY PRUNE. Fine for preserves. Very sweet.
1 BARTLETT PEAR. Best pear for canning and eating.

1 MICHIGOLD PEACH. New yellow freestone peach.

BARGAIN NO. 1 Sturdy No. 1 trees All six



lies and juice. 2 FREDONIA. New early black grape.

2 NIAGARA. The leading white grape.
2 DELAWARE. Fancy sweet table grape.

BARGAIN NO. 2 \$ 140 All for

#### BACK YARD ORCHARD

You can have your own fruit with only a small back-

- 1 MONTMORENCY SOUR CHERRY 1 WINDSOR SWEET CHERRY
- 1 ANOKA EARLY BEARING APPLE
- 1 BARTLETT PEAR

4 Big No. 1 Trees BARGAIN NO. 4 FOR \$4195



#### RASPBERRY GARDEN

Have your own de-licious raspberries for breakfast or desserts. This collection will supply fruit spring and fall.

6 LOGAN BLACK RASPBERRIES

4 INDIAN SUMMER EVERBEARING RASPBER-

6 LATHAM RED RASPBERRIES

BARGAIN NO. 3 All for  $$2^{50}$ 16 Fine plants.

#### THRIFT STRAWBERRY PATCH

Enough plants to supply berries for your table all summer long.

25 SENATOR DUNLAP Spring Bearing Strawberries.

25 GEM Everbearing Strawberries.

25 PREMIER Famous Spring Bearing Straw-

75 Strawberry Plants BARGAIN NO. 5 FOR

#### DOORWAY **EVERGREEN** PLANTING

These beautiful evergreens will

add beauty and dignity to your entrance. Colorful the year around.

2 IRISH JUNIPER 2 SAVIN JUNIPER

BARGAIN NO. 6 FOR \$295



flower garden all summer. Will bloom year after year.

2 ALYSSUM

2 ALASKA DAISY

2 GAILLARDIA 2 GYPSOPHILA

2 COREOPSIS 2 PLATYCODON 12 Hardy Perennials \$265 BARGAIN NO. 7 All for

Glorious Hardy PHLOX

Magnificent large blooms of brilliant Will make colors. your garden a riot of color. All new improved varieties.



3 CHIEFTAIN. Brilliant dark red. 3 DAILY SKETCH. Bright pink. 3 ROYAL PURPLE. Rich shades.

BARGAIN NO. 8 For \$240 9 Large Plants

#### EVERGREEN

Landscape Collection

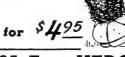
These beautiful specimen evergreen trees will add great beauty to your home grounds.

3 RED PINE 3 BLACK HILLS SPRUCE

1 LIMBER PINE 1 DOUGLAS FIR

8 Evergreen Trees BARGAIN NO. 10





#### 25 Foot HEDGE

Protect your property with these Amoor River Privet hedge plants. Beautiful dark Perfectly

25 Plants for BARGAIN NO. 11 10 to 12 in.

#### HOME BEAUTIFUL

#### Landscape Collection

This collection will provide enough shrubs and trees to landscape the average home grounds. All beautiful flowering shrubs. Easy to grow. 1 WEIGELA EVA RATHKE

1 FORSYTHIA 1 ALTHEA 1 MOCKORANGE 1 DEUTZIA

WEIGELA ROSEA

1 CALYCANTHUS

1 FLOWERING QUINCE 1 BUSH CRANBERRY 1 HYDRANGEA P. G. 1 RED DOGWOOD 1 WHITE SNOWBERRY 1 AMERICAN ELM





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## Stahelin's All Purpose ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS

## Will Add Beauty to Your Grounds

ALL 2 YR. STRONG FIELD-GROWN PLANTS

## FORSYTHIA, Golden Bell.

Every limb and twig is literally covered with golden blossoms before the leaves are out. Flowers often come out before the snow is gone. Glossy green leaves. Very hardy and thrives in any locality. Grows 8 to 10 feet tall and can be trimmed as desired. Often used as hedges, screens, or shrub borders. Strong field-grown plants, 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.

## AMERICAN HOLLY (Ilex Opaca)

A moderate grower with short spreading branches. Adapted to a wide range of soil and climate. Grows 5 to 6 feet tall. White flowers in early spring, the female plants producing bright red berries which hang on all winter. Stiff, glossy, dark green foliage all winter which is useful for Christmas decorations. Plant two for pollinizing purposes. Field-grown plants balled in moss. \$1.55 each: 3 for \$4.20.

#### HYDRANGEA, Giant Blue

A new variety which is hardy and blooms from new, as well as old, wood. Unusually large flower heads which last for weeks. Requires an acid soil for blue flowers, otherwise they will be pink. You can make your soil acid by the addition of Peat. Prefers partial shade and will grow in full shade. Should be given winter protection in northern states. Strong 3 yr. field-grown plants, \$1.55 each; 3 for \$4.25

## GOLD FLAME HONEYSUCKLE

A new superlative variety that is hardy and will grow any place. Large rose-red trumpets, lined with a light to deep golden yellow. Flowers appear in immense clusters the same year plants are set. Exceptionally good for trellises. Field-grown plants, 85c each; 3 for \$2.40.

#### HALL'S JAPAN HONEYSUCKLE

Very strong, vigorous growing Honeysuckle. Produces pure white flowers gradually changing to yellow, which are extremely fragrant. Is an everbearing Honeysuckle, blooming the entire summer. Field-grown plants, 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.

#### HYDRANGEA, P.G.

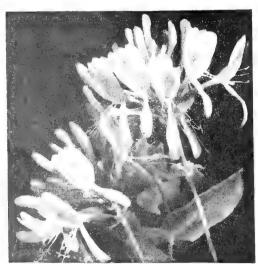
Immense cone-shaped blooms, first white and then turning pink and bronze. Blooms in August with huge panicles, measuring 8 to 12 inches long. Makes a fine winter decoration if allowed to dry on the bush. Can be grown in full sun or partial shade. Field-grown plants, each 75c; 3 for \$2.10.



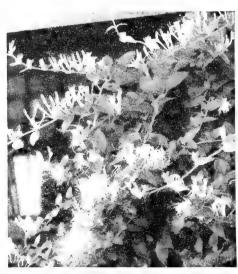
Giant Blue Hydrangea

American Holly

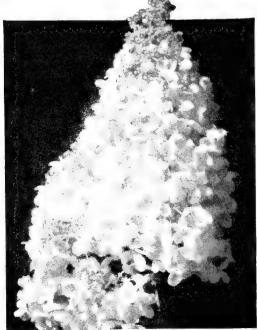
Forsythia Golden Bell



Gold Flame Honeysuckle



Hall's Japan Honeysuckle



Hydrangea, P.G.

## Make Your House a Home FLOWERING SHRUBS OF GREAT BEAUTY

#### BUDDLEIAS

Commonly known as the Butterfly Bush. Bloom profusely and continuously from early summer to frost. Very hardy, the tops die down in winter but come up again in spring and grow from 3½ to 5 feet in

**Charming.** Long spikes, measuring 10-12 inches, of a beautiful pink color.

Ile De France. Rosy purple flowers on long

Dubonnet. New, rich wine-red with slight purple overcast. Large, well-rounded spikes.

Orchid Beauty. A charming new Buddleia

of brilliant orchid color.

Prices all Buddleias, Strong 2 yr. fieldgrown plants, 55c each; 2 for \$1.00.

#### ALTHEA. Rose of Sharon

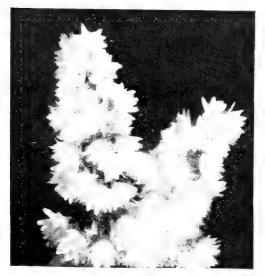
Large double blooms from midsummer until winter. Ideal shrub for backgrounds or shrub borders. Grows to a height of 6 to 8 ft., well branched from the ground up, or it can be trained into a small tree. Red or white. Strong field-grown plants, 40c each;

#### MOCK ORANGE

(Philadelphus Coronarius) A tall bush with dark green foliage. Large white flowers appear profusely in June with scattering blooms throughout the summer. Very sweet fragrance. Fine for cutting. Perfectly hardy and can be used for the lawn, foundation planting, or as a screen. Grows 5 to 6 feet tall. Strong field-grown plants, 40c each; 3 for \$1.10.

#### DEUTZIA. Pride of Rochester

An old, popular, garden shrub with masses of large white flowers tinged with pink, covering the plant. Blooms in May. Fast growing and will grow to a height of 6 to 8 feet. Makes lovely bouquets. Very free-flowering, and hardy. Strong field-grown plants, 40c each; 3 for \$1.10.



Deutzia, Pride of Rochester

#### MAY DAY TREE

The first tree to leaf out in the spring and the first to bloom. Fragrant trusses of pure white flowers cover the entire plant during April and May. Flowers resemble Lilacs in shape and are lovely for cutting. May be left in bush form or trimmed up and grown as a specimen tree. Flowers are followed by small edible fruit. Grows rapidly and is hardy. 3-4 ft. trees, 95c each; 3 for \$2.70.

#### **CALYCANTHUS** (Sweet Shrub)

An old garden favorite. Fragrant shrub with chocolate colored flowers, and shiny green leaves. Blooms from May to October. At maturity attains a height of 8 to 10 feet. An all-season attraction. Strong field-grown plants, 55c each; 3 for

#### HOME BEAUTIFUL

BARGAIN NO. 12

- 1 ALTHEA
- 1 HYDRANGEA P. G. \$190
- 1 MAY DAY TREE



Mock Orange



Double Flowering Althea

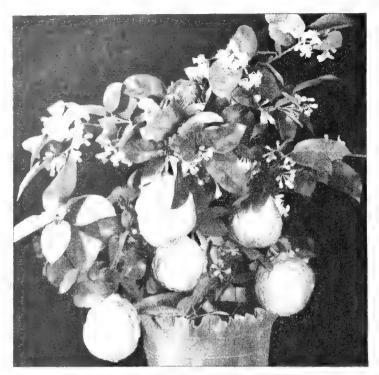


May Day Tree



Calycanthus, Sweet Shrub

## Stahelin's Well Branched, Heavily Rooted



American Wonder Lemon

#### WEIGELA, EVA RATHKE

An old garden shrub which is always in demand. Free bloomer, starting in June and continuing to bloom at various intervals until fall. Flowers are of brilliant crimson and trumpet shaped. Attains a height of 4 to 5 feet. Good for a foundation planting or border. Fieldgrown plants, .55c each; 3 for \$1.50.

#### FLOWERING ALMOND

This shrub blooms very early in the spring, even before the leaves appear. Every branch and twig is completely covered from top to bottom with small and very double shell-pink flowers which resemble small roses. Ideal for cutting purposes. Can be grown anywhere and will develop into a round and bushy plant about 3 to 4 feet tall. 24-30 inch plants, .85c each; 3 for \$2.40.

#### WEIGELA, ROSEA

Best known and most extensively planted of the Pink Weigelas. Tall and vigorous growing, with graceful pendulous branches. Large, trumpetshaped, rosy-pink flowers in thick clusters along each branch. Blooms in June and occasionally blooms the rest of the summer. Excellent cut flower. Grows 4 to 5 feet tall and is useful in foundation plantings. Can be trimmed as desired. Field-grown plants, .49c each; 3 for \$1.10.



Weigela Eva Rathke

## HARDY SHRUBS

ALL 2-YR. STRONG FIELD-GROWN PLANTS

#### AMERICAN WONDER LEMON

A very unique plant for indoor culture which was originally known as the Ponderosa Lemon. They produce very fragrant, rich white flowers several times a year, which are followed by lemons of extremely high quality. Strong plants from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inch pots, .65c each; 3 for \$1.80.

#### HANSEN'S BUSH CHERRY

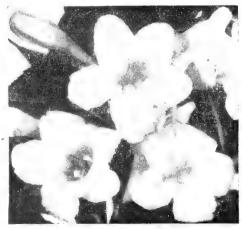
Very easy to grow, highly productive, very hardy, and good to eat out of hand. Fruit is plum-shaped, but the size of a sweet cherry. Fruit grows in clusters, and makes a beautiful shrub. Has gargeous white flowers in the spring, and rich maroon-red leaves in the fall. Thrives on the poorest of soil. Usually comes into bearing the first year after planting. Grows 4 to 5 feet tall. 12-18 inch branched plants, .35c each; 3 for .95c; 20 for \$5.80.

# FOUNDATION PLANTING Bush Cherry I FLOWERING ALMOND WEIGELA EVA RATHKE WHITE SNOWBERRY POUNDATION PLANTING BARGAIN NO. 14 WEIGELA EVA RATHKE WHITE SNOWBERRY

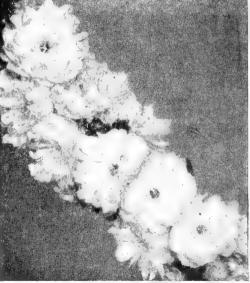


#### WHITE SNOWBERRY

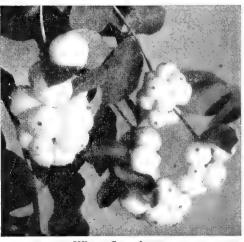
One of the finest shrubs we have ever seen for shady places. Grows to a height of about 3 feet and is covered with deep green, velvety foliage. Rose-pink flowers in June and July followed by clusters of lovely smooth white berries which remain far into the winter. Of compact form and semi-dwarf habit. Field-grown plants, .40c each; 3 for \$1.10.



Weigela Rosea



Flowering Almond



White Snowberry

## Hardy Flowering Shrubs

#### LOVELY FOLIAGE AND FLOWERS

#### FRENCH HYBRID LILACS

One of the finest of all shrubs. Their beauty is so great that it cannot be described accurately. They bloom very young and every year adds to their beauty. Last a life-time and grow to a height of 6 to 8 feet. During their blooming period they are entirely covered with a profusion of blooms which are extremely fragrant. Do not sucker like the common Lilac. Should be planted as early as possible. By all means include several of these Lilacs in your plantings. Red or Blue. Please specify color desired. Large 18-24 in. plants, 95c each; 3 for \$2.70.

Last year the shipment arrived in excellent condition and I was very satisfied. The plants came in very good shape and the patch is the talk of the town.

Samuel Bornstein, New York

#### PINK HONEYSUCKLE

Bright pink flowers in spring, followed by loads of bright red berries in the fall. Hardy and vigorous grower which thrives in the shade or in the sun. No special soil required. Well-formed bush which grows to a height of 5 or 6 ft. Can be trimmed as desired. An excellent variety for use as screens, tall hedges, or the background of the shrubbery border. Field-grown plants, .50c each; 3 for \$1.35.

Your stock was so outstandingly superior that I greatly regret not having placed the entire order with you.

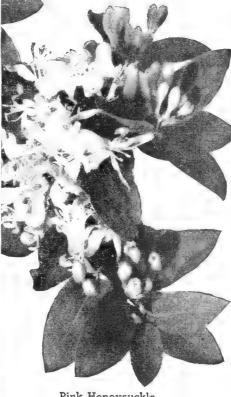
Everett Bleiler, Massachusetts



Flowering Quince



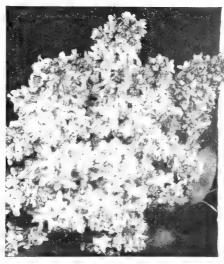
Highbush Cranberry



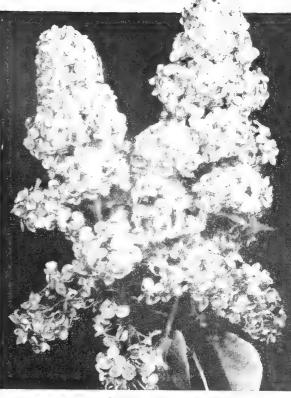
Pink Honeysuckle

#### PERSIAN LILAC

Graceful, drooping branches with small foliage and flowers of bright purple. A great improvement over the common Lilac and preferred by many people as it is a more profuse bloomer. A very popular and hardy shrub. Blooms freely in May and June, and reaches a height of 6 to 8 feet at maturity. Field-grown plants, .50c each; 3 for



Persian Lilac



French Lilacs

#### FLOWERING QUINCE

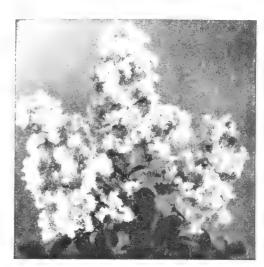
(Cydonia Japonica) Produces brilliant scarlet-red flowers with yellow stamens, covering the bush from May until June. May be allowed to grow in bushes or trimmed into hedges. The fragrant yellow quinces make delicious jelly. Grows 6 to 8 feet tall. Field-grown plants, .55c each; 3 for \$1.50.

#### HIGHBUSH CRANBERRY

Handsome hardy shrub of upright spreading form, with dense brilliant green foliage. Single white flowers in April and May, followed by clusters of scarlet berries in the fall, which hang on throughout the winter. Thrives anywhere. Grows 8 to 10 feet tall. Field-grown plants, .55c each; 3 for \$1.50.

#### CRAPE MYRTLE

The most beautiful shrub of the South, can now be grown successfully in the North. In northern states, it should be given winter protection by mounding up dirt before cold weather sets in, the same care as Everblooming Roses require. The flowers are of beautiful, clear colors with a soft crepe-like texture. Red or Pink. Please specify color desired. Selected 12-18 in. Plants. .75c each; 3 for \$2.10.



Crape Myrtle

Bechtel's Flowering Crab

# Mountain Ash

#### BECHTEL'S FLOWERING CRAB

A hardy, small flowering tree. Double flowers of delicate pink resemble small Roses. Very fragrant. Ideal for the small lawn. 18-24 in. trees, 95c each; 3 for \$2.65.

#### LOMBARDY POPLAR

Wel! known for its tall, slender, upright growth. Rapid grower on any soil. Dark green leaves, lighter shade on the under side. Roots do not clog drains. 5-6 ft. trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.10.



Tulip Tree

# Stahelin's FLOWERING and SHADE TREES

#### AMERICAN ELM

Natural spreading and drooping tree. Favorite tree for street and general planting. Tall-growing, long-lived, and hardy. 4-5 ft. trees, each 35c; 3 for \$1.00.

#### MOUNTAIN ASH, EUROPEAN

Tree of unusual beauty, with fernlike leaves. Clusters of white flowers in the spring, followed by giant bunches of red berries in the fall. 3-4 ft. trees, 75c each; 5-6 ft, trees, \$1.50 each.

#### SOFT MAPLE

Dark green leaves with silvery surface underneath. Speedy grower, and thrives anywhere. Grows tall and makes a graceful, shapely head. 5-6 ft. trees, each 55c; 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

#### RED FLOWERING DOGWOOD

Red buds which open into exquisite fourpetaled deep pink flowers with yellowishgreen centers. Bloom long time. Red berries in fall. Trees grow 10 to 15 feet tall. 2-3 ft. trees, 55c each; 2 for \$1.00.

#### WHITE FLOWERING DOGWOOD

Large, white flowers with an extra row of center petals. Red berries in fall, also leaves turn red. Grows 10 to 15 feet tall. 3-4 ft. trees, \$1.25 each: 2 for \$2.25.

#### TULIP TREE

Tall, pyramidal, with broad glossy leaves. Bears tulip-like flowers of white with green centers in June. 3-4 ft. trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.10.

#### CHINESE ELM

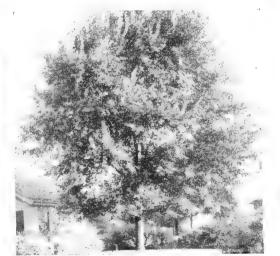
Fastest growing shade tree today. Extra hardy and thrives anywhere. Useful for windbreaks and specimen plantings. 3-4 ft. trees, 55c each; 3 or more at 45c each. 5-6 ft. trees, 65c each; 3 or more at 55c each. 7-8 ft. trees, 85c each; 3 or more at 80c each.

#### WISCONSIN WEEPING WILLOW

Graceful drooping. More slender leaves and hardier than the ordinary Babylonica. Rapid grower. 3-4 ft. trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.10.

#### GOLDEN WEEPING WILLOW

Has golden yellow twigs with narrow green leaves. Slender branches hang in a beauti-



Chinese Elm

ful arch to the ground. Hardy, grows fast. 3-4 ft, trees, 85c each; 3 for \$2.40.

#### WHITE BIRCH, EUROPEAN

Hardy, tall-growing, upright tree. An excellent lawn tree of distinctive character, its creamy white bark contrasting sharply with its foliage. 5-6 ft. trees, each \$2.25; 3 for \$6.25.



European White Birch



Red Flowering Dogwood



Golden Weeping Willow

**NUT TREES** 

#### Thin-shelled

#### **ENGLISH WALNUT**

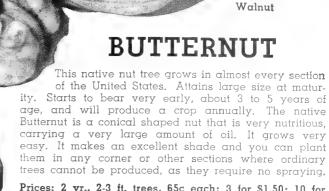
The thin-shelled English Walnut grows in many parts of the country. The stock that we offer originally came from trees found in sections of Poland and were transplanted in Canada where they were isolated from other types of walnuts. The hardy northern English Walnuts that we offer have been grown from the above mentioned original stock. Trees grow fast, are long lived, and have large glossy green leaves very nicely centered. The nuts fall free of the hull and are about the size of the California English Walnut, but are sweeter. The trees come into bearing at about 6 or 8 years from seed. Plant not closer than 40 ft. apart.

Prices: 18-30 in. trees, \$2.25 each; 2 for \$4.25. 15-20 in. trees, \$1.95 each; 2 for \$3.50.

**BLACK WALNUT** 

Stahelin's Black Walnuts are grown from seed produced on our own farms from the Thomas, Stabler and Weird varieties. While not as thin shelled as the nuts from the cultivated trees, they are excellent and you still have a better Black Walnut.

Prices: 2-3 ft. trees, 75c each; 3 for \$2.10: 10 for \$5.95.



English

Prices: 2 yr., 2-3 ft. trees, 65c each; 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.25.

### HARDY PECANS

A beautiful shade tree and at the same time a profitable one. Stahelin's Hardy Pecans can be grown anywhere excepting the far north, and will bear thin shelled nuts of large size and good quality. Grow to extreme height when fully matured.

Prices: 2-3 ft. trees, \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 10 for \$10.95 3-4 ft. trees, \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.50; 10 for \$12.50

This year we offer Pecan trees that produce extremely large size paper shelled nuts. We offer them in three varieties—Stuart, Schley, and Success. These are budded trees, 2-3 ft. in height, and should not be grown north of the central Indiana line. These are the three best paper shelled Pecans grown today.

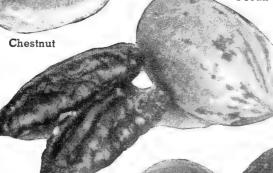
Prices: \$2.95, each; 2 for \$5.50; 5 for \$12.50.



Butternut

The Chinese Chestnut is the only Chestnut that we know of that is blight resistant. The seed from which our trees are grown are all collected from trees that are known to be true blight resistant and so isolated that the pollen from other Chestnut trees cannot mix with them. We offer only small size stock, 12 to 18 inches in height, at a very moderate price, as we feel that our customers can grow them to a large size cheaper than we can.

Price: 12-18 in. trees, \$1.45 each; 3 for \$4.20; 10 for \$12.50.



Hazelnut

Black Walnut

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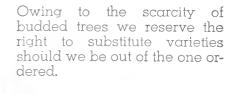
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#### HARDY HAZELNUTS

Makes a fine, well branched shrub, 5 to 6 ft. tall and attractive enough to plant in your yard. In the fall the foliage is beautiful with scarlet and bronze leaves. The bush at that time will be completely covered with nuts. Will grow practically anywhere, and will produce huge crops. Bears very early.

Price: 3-4 ft. trees, 95c each; 3 for \$2.70; 10 for \$8.50.





## Stahelin's Hardy EVERGREENS

A Joy for Years to Come

#### IRISH JUNIPER

A tall columnar type with silvery green foliage. Very erect and slender. Excellent for use at entrances. Reaches a height of 7 to 8 ft. at maturity or can be trimmed to any desired height. PRICES: 10-12 inch, each 75c; 3 for \$2.10; 10 for \$5.95.

#### PFITZER'S JUNIPER

Favorite of all spreading Junipers. Low, spreading bush with plumelike branches. Beautiful silvery blue-green foliage, Very hardy and will stand considerable shade. PRICES: 9-12 inch, each 65c; 3 for \$1.80; 6 for \$3.40.

#### SILVER JUNIPER

Erect, pyramidal type. Bright, silver foliage, dense from the ground up. Hardy and rapid grower which soon forms a beautiful tree. PRICES: 8-10 inch, each 85c; 3 for \$2.40; 6 for \$4.20.

#### SAVIN JUNIPER

Rich dark green spreading type Juniper. Very similar to the Pfitzer. Ideal for use under windows. Height at maturity, 4 to 5 ft. PRICES: 8-10 inch, each 95c; 3 for \$2.70; 6 for \$4.80.

#### BLACK HILL SPRUCE

One of the hardiest of the Spruces. Bushy, compact, and usually symmetrical. Foliage from green to bluish green with branches close to the ground. **PRICES:** 9-12 inch, each 75c; 3 for \$2.10; 10 for \$5.95.

#### PYRAMIDAL ARBORVITAE

Grows compact and develops into a perfect pyramidal form. Foliage of deep green, and retains its color through the season. Grows to a height of 12 to 15 ft. PRICES: 9-12 inch, each 85c; 3 for \$2.40; 6 for \$4.20.

#### RED PINE

A tall tree with stout, horizontal, sometimes pendulous branches forming a broad conical head, or, in age, an open round-topped crown. Leaves in pairs, dark green and shining, 4 to 6 inches long. Cones about 2 inches long, light brown. PRICES: 10-12 inch, each 65c; 3 for \$1.80; 6 for \$3.40.



#### DOUGLAS FIR

Douglas

Fir

Fast and tall growing variety with dark green foliage. Very beautiful and hardy. PRICES: 8-10 inch, each 90c; 3 for \$2.55; 6 for \$4.75.

#### LIMBER PINE

A tree of medium size, with stout, horizontal branches, forming a narrow pyramidal, or, in old age, a round-topped crown. Leaves dark green, 2 to 3 inches long. An ornamental species of slow growth, recommended for planting on rocky slopes. PRICES: 8-10 inch, each 85c; 3 for \$2.40; 6 for \$4.20.

#### MUGHO PINE

Compact and hardy Dwarf pine which seldom grows more than 4 feet in height. Deep green foliage. Excellent for low group plantings. PRICES: 12-18 inch, twice transplanted, each \$1.75; 2 for \$3.25.

## Hardy Ornamental HEDGES

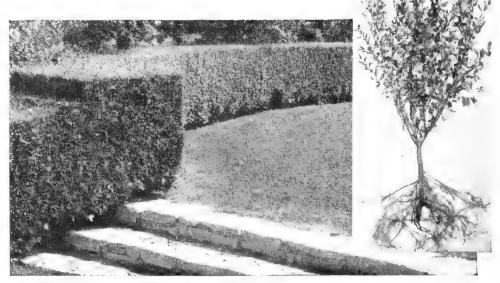
Irish Juniper

#### AMOOR RIVER PRIVET

Succeeds anywhere, and is perfectly hardy. Has shiny dark green leaves, and they appear early in the spring and remain very late in the fall. Resistant to insect pests, and not subject to blight. 12-15 In. Well Branched Plants, 10 for \$1.80; 25 for \$3.25; 50 for \$5.95; 100 for \$10.95; 500 for \$49.00. 15-20 In. Extra-Heavy Plants, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.90; 50 for \$6.50; 100 for \$11.95; 500 for 44.00.

#### SPIREA VANHOUTTEI

Bridal Wreath. During June its branches are literally covered with delicate white flowers. Beautiful bright green leaves come early and stay late. Very hardy and thrifty. 12-15 In. Well Branched Plants, Each, 20c; 10 for \$1.80; 50 for \$6.50; 100 for \$10.95. 18-24 In. Extra-Heavy-Plants, Each 25c; 10 for \$2.10; 50 for \$7.75; 100 for \$13.25.



Order Sheet

# Stahelin's Nursery Bridgman, Michigan

Berrien County - Michigan's Fruit Center

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	SHIPPING RATES AND INSTRU			

Parcel Post: We can send your orders by parcel post if you prefer, where there is no express office nearby. In shipping bundles, it is economical for you to pay the postage in advance, thus saving the 15 cents (C.O.D.) fee collected by the Post Office Department on delivery. We have arranged a schedule for you at right, so you can see approximately what the charge will be and in what section you are located. (After your order is shipped and if we find you have sent too much money, we will refund same to you at once.) However, if you should prefer to have your stock sent C.O.D. for postage charges, we will be glad to send it to you in that manner. If parcel post shipment is requested and shipping charges not included, we naturally assume that you want plants shipped C.O.D. for the postage.

Express: We recommend Express shipments because the express rates have been reduced. Shipments take the second class rate and are sent collect for the exact amount of the shipping charges. This is the fairest way for you pay only the exact amount on your package.

Generally all shade and fruit trees, and large quantities of stock must be sent by Express. Over one hundred raspberies, one-year plants, 50 raspberries, 2-yr. plants, over 5 fruit trees would go cheaper by express, especially on long distance shipments. We have worked out this plan of shipping to be the best way for you, with the least cost to you. Freight: Freight can be used when orders call for several hundred fruit trees or several thousand cane plants, and are to be shipped during early March or April.

Strawberry Plants Are Never Shipped By Freight: If undecided as to how to have your order sent, just give us your post office and nearest shipping point and we will route the cheapest and safest way.

Your Remittance: Send a postal or express money order if possible; cash should be sent by registered mail, for we will not be responsible for loss if mailed in the ordinary manner. Personal checks will be accepted.

Prices in this catalog are good only for the spring and fall

of 1947. However, should inflation, state or federal legislation add to our costs, we reserve right to add to prices to cover increases.

When Ordering: Married people please give both husband's and wife's name or initials like this -Mr. John (Mary) Smith.

Figure Your Postal Charges-See Rates Below

Schedule below shows how much postage to send if order is to be sent by parcel post depending upon which state you live in. See bottom of page below "Rhubarb".

FOR EACH 100 PLANTS	1	2	3	4
Strawberry	\$ .12	\$ .18	\$ .25	\$ .40
Aspaagus	.12	.18	.25	.40
Red Raspberry, 1-yr. plants	.20	.30	.45	.85
Black Raspberries, 1-yr. plants	.20	.30	.45	.85
Blackberry, 1-yr, plants	.20	.30	.45	.85
Dewberry, 1 yr. plants	.20	.30	.45	.85
Boysenberry, 1-yr. plants	.20	.30	.45	.85
All 2-yr. Transplants	.30	.50	.75	1.25
Grape Vines		.50	.75	1.25
Fruit and Flowering Trees:				
1 tree up to 5 ft. tall	.10	.12	.17	.26
5 trees up to 5 ft. tall	.15	.22	.40	.65
10 trees up to 5 ft, tall	.20	.35	.65	1.20
Blueberries: For every 6 plants		1190	rate for	100

Blueberries: For every 6 plants or less, use rate for 100 strawberry plants.

Rhubarb: 25 plants or less, same as 100 strawberry plants.

All large quantities are sent express, collect for charges. Group No. 1—Southern Michigan: (Grand Rapids, Port Huron, Owosso, and all towns south thereof.) Northern Indiana:: (Indianapolis and all towns north thereof.)

Group No. 2—Northern Michigan: (Towns north of Grand Rapids, Owosso and Port Huron;) Southern Indiana: (Towns south of Indianapolis.)

Group No. 3—New Jersey. New York, North Carolina. Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Virginia, Arkansas, Delaware, Kansas, Maryland, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Illinois, Iowa, Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia and Wisconsin.

Group No. 4—All states not included in above groups,

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## Stahelin's Pedigreed

## PARADISE ASPARAGUS

The Paradise asparagus is today acknowledged as the finest asparagus grown for cutting purposes. We have gone to special pains to get the finest of pedigreed seed so as to offer our customers a superior type of asparagus. This variety is very easy to grow and when it is once planted is good for practically a lifetime. Every garden should have from 25 to 100 plants in same. 1 yr. plants, 25 for 85c; 100 for \$2.65; 2 yr. plants, 25 for \$1.60, 100 for \$4.50. Further description and prices on page 25.

## Canada Red RHUBARB

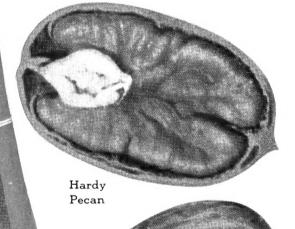
The Canada Red Rhubarb which we list is of the Chipman strain which is regarded as the finest obtainable today. The Chipman is large in size, very plump, and red throughout the entire stalk. It quickly forms large clumps. From 3 to 6 plants will furnish enough rhubarb for the entire family the year round. Very hardy and especially desirable for market growers.

Large divisions, 75c each, 10 for \$6.50. Further prices and description on page 25.

## HARDY NUTS

**PECANS—HARDY CANADIAN TYPE.** The pecans we offer this year are all grown from seeds grown in Canada and we offer you a superior type tree that should bear in practically any location where extreme cold does not prevail. Grafted and named varieties and further description on page 35.

2-3 ft. trees, \$1.25 each; 3-4 ft. trees, \$1.75 each.

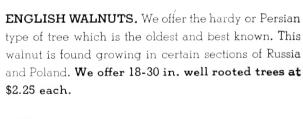








Chinese Chestnut



CHINESE CHESTNUT. These trees are all grown from seed collected from trees known to be absolutely pure and isolated so that they could not be mixed with the common chestnut. Fine flavored, producing much larger nuts than the ordinary variety. Bears young and is long lived.

PRICE: 12-18 in. well rooted trees, \$1.45 each; 3 for \$4.20.

Further descriptions and prices on all nut trees including Butternuts and Walnuts on page 35.

